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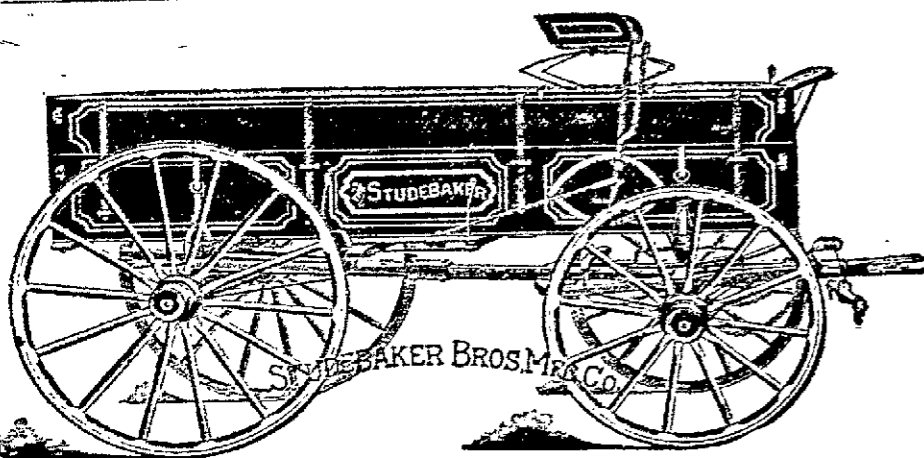
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GOVERNOR MARVIL DEAD

Delaware's Chief Executive Yields to His Long Illness.

HIS SUCCESSOR A DEMOCRAT.

Brief Life Sketch of the Dead Governor and of William T. Watson, Who Becomes Governor by Virtue of His Selection as Speaker of the Senate.

DOVER, Del., April 9.—Governor Joshua H. Marvil died at 9:20 last night, after having been unconscious for an hour and a half. He was surrounded by the members of his family, and the end came peacefully and painlessly. Speaker Watson, who by reason of Governor Marvil's death becomes chief executive of the state, arrived here from his home in Milford at 9 o'clock this morning, when he was inducted into office by Chancellor Walcott. Senator Records, of Sussex, will probably be chosen speaker pro tem.

The death of Governor Marvil will greatly add to the present political complications in the state. The senate as at present constituted stands five Democrats and four Republicans, but the Democrats include Mr. Watson among their number, and if he leaves the senate it will be a tie. He may elect to serve in both capacities, and it is understood now that he will take his seat in the senate whenever his vote is needed by the party, while Senator Records will continue to act as speaker pro tem. The Republicans will doubtless protest against this arrangement, which will add another to the many bitter contests now prevailing in the legislature.

It is thought, too, that the death of Governor Marvil will hasten the solution of the senatorial contest by bringing the opposing factions together.

Joshua Hopkins Marvil was born in Little Creek hundred, Sussex county, Sept. 3, 1825. His family was originally of English descent on the paternal and French on the maternal side. He was the son of Joseph Marvil, a farmer, who was drowned in 1831, leaving a widow and six children, none grown. Joshua was the fourth child. He was obliged to work, and found the farm labor so pressing that he was only able to attend school for a small portion of the school year.

He remained with his mother until 21 years of age, and then hired a man to take his place, while he followed the water for a year. For seven years thereafter the future governor was engaged in shipbuilding, at which calling he demonstrated rare mechanical ability, and in a short time was made foreman of the yard in which he was employed.

When 28 years old, Marvil established a shop for the manufacture of agricultural implements, and carried it on until 1855. In 1870 he invented a machine for manufacturing berry baskets, and by hand power made 25,000 in that year. The next year, steam being introduced, he turned out 600,000 baskets, besides crates to contain the same. The business gradually grew until the establishment now makes 2,000,000 baskets every year, besides other boxes for the transportation of fruits. A number of establishments in other states are using his machinery.

Mr. Marvil married Miss Sarah Ann Sirman, of Sussex county. He leaves three sons, two of whom were associated with him in business. He was a consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal church, always having taken a great interest in its work. The governor had been for years afflicted with heart and kidney trouble, and has been unable to attend to his duties since March 1, except at irregular periods. William Thorp Watson, who, by the death of Governor Marvil, becomes governor of Delaware, was born in Milford, Kent county, Delaware, on June 22, 1839, and is the son of Bethule and Ruth T. Watson, and grandson of Governor William Watson, who was chief executive from January 1847, to January, 1851.

Governor Watson was educated at Chestertown, Md., and at the conclusion of his studies returned to his home in Milford. An uncle of the governor, Colonel C. S. Watson, was a member of the senate in 1857, and his father was at one time a member of the lower house.

Governor Watson moved to Philadelphia in 1879, and resided there about four years, after which time he returned to Milford and was nominated by the Democrats for a seat in the house of representatives in 1885. He was elected, but the question of his eligibility having been raised (he not having been a resident of the state for three years immediately preceding his election and a resident of the county for one year), Mr. Watson refused to take the seat. In 1892 he was nominated for the state senate and elected by a large majority. At the beginning of the present session he was elected speaker, and by that election became the legal successor of Governor Marvil, there being no lieutenant governor in Delaware.

LOSS OF THE REINA REGENTE.

A Message from Her Captain Convinces Spanish Officials.

MADRID, April 9.—Further evidence, if any were needed, of the loss of the Spanish cruiser Reina Regente was found yesterday. A bottle that had been washed ashore was picked up, and in it was found a piece of paper on which was written in pencil a message signed by the captain of the cruiser. The message, which is dated "March 10, 9 p. m., twelve miles distant from Bajo Acahuas," states that the position of the vessel was then hopeless. At a cabinet council held it was decided to officially announce the loss of the Reina Regente. The ministers also decided that the government would assist the families of the crew.

The Reina Regente, with a crew of 420 officers and men, was detailed to convey to Tangier the Moorish commission that visited Spain in connection with the demands made by the latter upon Morocco for the Melilla affair. The cruiser sailed from Tangier on March 10 for Cadiz. Shortly after her departure a bad storm set in, and it is pretty certain that during it she foundered.

On March 19, the Spanish warship Alfonso XII reported that she had found the Reina Regente sunk near Bajo Acahuas, not far from the Straits of Gibraltar. Later a vessel that washed ashore proved beyond all reasonable doubt that the vessel was lost, but the government for a time professed to believe that the cruiser was still safe. Later thirty bodies were washed ashore on the Spanish coast, and then the government abandoned hope.

THE INCOME TAX.

Supreme Court Declares Parts of It Unconstitutional.

NO TAX ON RENT INCOMES.

Municipal, State and County Bonds Also Relieved.

DECLARED TO BE DIRECT TAXES.

The Court Divided in Opinion as to the Rest of the Law, Justices Fuller, Harlan, White and Brown Upholding It and Justices Field, Gray, Brewer and Shiras Opposed to the Measure—Dissenting Opinions by Justices Field and White.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—After almost a month of deliberation the United States supreme court rendered its decision yesterday in the income tax cases, deciding by a divided court the law to be valid except as regards the income from rents and from municipal bonds, on which points the decision was that the tax was unconstitutional.

There was only one member of the bench absent—Justice Jackson, who has not been able to be in attendance upon the court since last fall, and who has not participated in the consideration of the case in any way. It is to his absence that the even division of the court on the majority of the propositions involved in the case is due. If he had been present such a result would have been impossible and the opinions would have included a discussion of all the points involved, instead of only the two in regard to the incomes derived from rents and municipal and state bonds.

There were only two minor decisions rendered by members of the bench when Chief Justice Fuller, after making a few routine announcements, began to read the court's decree in the case of Charles Pollock vs. the Farmers' Loan and Trust company and others. This was the first in order of the cases against the trust companies, and the conclusions reached in its apply also to the case of Hyde vs. the Continental Trust company, as the questions at issue are the same in both cases. The chief justice read with considerable rapidity, but his voice was at all times clear and distinct, and lawyers present who had familiarized themselves with the case had little or no difficulty in following him. The delivery of the opinion consumed an hour's time, and all present gave the closest attention.

The body of the opinion was devoted to the consideration of the question from a constitutional point of view, and involved a very elaborate definition of the meaning of the phrase "direct taxes," and also a construction of the constitutional requirement as to apportionment. He said that under the constitution federal taxes were divided into direct taxes and duties, imposts and excises, and laid down the rule that direct taxes should under that instrument be governed by the rule of apportionment among the several states according to population.

Referring to the question of direct taxation he said that it was not to be presumed that the framers of the constitution were not men capable of appreciating what they were doing when they provided for the differentiation of imposts, excises and duties from other forms of taxation. They knew perfectly well, for instance, that a tax on lands was generally regarded as a direct tax and it was provided that direct taxes should be apportioned among the states, and is therefore, as thus apportioned, practicable and just. The framers of the fundamental law had before them more prominently than any other thought the idea that taxation and representation should go hand in hand.

In support of that idea the just revolutionary struggle had been made, and it had surely not been the intention of the convention that a state of affairs should arise which would make it possible for any of the states to combine for the purpose of extorting taxes from other states. Furthermore, the chief justice continued, the constitution was the result of a compromise between the states and the federal government, whereby the states surrendered the right of levying imposts, duties and excises, but it was evident did not mean to transfer to the general government the right to levy direct taxes, except in cases of great emergency. This compact, the chief justice said, had been observed up to the time of the passage of the act of August, 1894.

The fact that such a tax as that under consideration had been provided by congress at a time when the country was enjoying profound peace was adverted to, and this, the justice said, was a circumstance which should call for the exercise of special circumspection in considering the present law. It was an innovation of a most striking and significant character, and was clearly in contravention of the wishes of the states when they, independent sovereigns up to that time in themselves, parted with a portion of their prerogatives in respect to taxation.

Much of this reasoning was meant to apply to the question of the taxation of incomes derived from rents, but the chief justice devoted a considerable part of the opinion to the special consideration of this branch of the income derived from land virtually and to all intents and purposes taxed the land itself, he asked, what was the land to any one but for the profit derived from it? He failed to see any distinction between a tax on the land itself and on the profit derived from it, and no one had gone so far as to contend that a tax on land would be a direct tax. The court had reached the opinion that this portion of the law was invalid and could not be sustained.

The same conclusion was reached in regard to the provision for taxing state,

county and municipal bonds, but into this question the chief justice did not go as fully as into that of the rent incomes. He said in effect that it was clearly never intended by the states to delegate authority to the national congress to weaken their credit by providing a tax upon their instrumentalities and revenue agencies. Power to tax these agencies must of a necessity imply the exercise of an influence upon a contract before it was made. Such an exercise of power was repugnant to the constitution, and, therefore, the portion of the law putting it into execution must also be declared invalid.

On the other points involved the opinion did not venture, because of the even division of the court.

In the course of the decision the chief justice referred at length to the cases cited by the defense in justification and support of the income tax, but he declared that in none of these cases had the specific question of the power of congress to tax rents and municipal bonds been passed upon, but only by inference or incidentally; hence the opinion of the court as now announced was not in opposition to previous ruling by that tribunal. Indeed, he asserted, that from the time of the decision in the Hyatt case to that in the Springer case it had been uniformly conceded that a tax on land was in the nature of a direct tax, while, as had been shown, a tax on land profits was the same thing as a tax on the land itself.

Justice Field read a dissenting opinion. It was largely devoted to a review of the provisions regarding rents, and was a vigorous denunciation of the principles sought to be established by the income tax law. He also attacked the law on account of the lack of uniformity and dwelt upon its exemptions and classifications, which were, he said, discrimination He devoted special attention to the exemptions of savings banks, mutual insurance companies, and building and loan associations. He quoted census figures to show the extent of the operations of these companies, and said if these facts were not convincing congress could not be convinced. He took issue with those who contended that there could be no legitimate limitations upon the power of congress to impose taxes. He finished by saying: "I am of the opinion that the whole law of 1894 is null and void."

He was followed by Judge White in a second dissenting opinion. He laid stress on the fact that the law does not exempt judges of United States courts from the payment of the tax. It was not right, he said, that the supreme court should remain silent and make no protest when many United States judges drawing small salaries would be affected because of the law, and he called attention to the letter once written by Chief Justice Chase to the treasury officials, protesting against the deduction of an income tax from the salaries of United States judges.

The effect of all the opinions delivered is to show that the court was unanimous in the opinion that the law is unconstitutional as to municipal and state bonds, that Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Field, Gray, Brewer, Brown and Shiras held it to be invalid on incomes derived from rents, and that Justices Harlan and White dissent from this opinion as to rents. It is impossible to state the exact division as to the validity of the other parts of the law further than was disclosed by the proceedings. It appears that Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Harlan and White voted to sustain the other parts of the law, and the best opinion obtainable is that Justice Brown stood with them in this opinion, which would leave Justices Field, Gray, Brewer and Shiras as the opponents of the law as a whole.

EFFECT OF THE DECISION.

It Will Cause a Loss of Fifty Per Cent. in Income Taxes.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Treasury officials are greatly dispirited over the supreme court's decision in the income tax case, and while admitting that they have no reliable data upon which to form an accurate estimate, they express the belief that the net result of the decision will be a loss of at least 50 per cent. in the receipts from incomes. In some cities the loss will be far greater than this, as in Washington, where the loss will reach 75 per cent. Washington, however, is exceptionally a renting city. The proportion of rented houses in other cities of the country is very large. The total number of rented houses in the United States in 1890 was 1,120,457, which during the last five years has undoubtedly increased very materially. Dwelling houses, however, represent only a small part of the capital invested in buildings of every character which produce enormous rentals.

Comparatively little was expected from interest on state, county and municipal bonds, but the total loss, it is thought, will not fall short of \$15,000,000 or \$20,000,000 for the first year, and this loss is expected to increase rather than to diminish in succeeding years should the law remain unrepelled. The loss of this revenue, however, is not the only cause of regret among the officials. The fact that the court was evenly divided on the main constitutional question, it is expected, will result in almost endless litigation, thus very materially adding to the expense of collecting the tax.

Nevertheless, the internal revenue officials will proceed at once to prepare supplemental regulations to conform to yesterday's decision, and from now on until next Monday, when the time expires within which returns may be made, any returns in which incomes from rents and bonds are deducted will be regarded as a full compliance with the law. Persons who have already made their returns, and paid the tax will be advised of the change in the regulations, and as soon as possible the proportionate amounts of tax paid by each on rents and bonds will be refunded to them.

Attorney General Olney was much surprised at that part of the decision which exempts rents under the income tax. As to the section of the act relating to bonds, the attorney general rather expected an adverse decision, but he regards the action of the court on the rent proposition as having been taken on technicalities which he believes will not stand the test of time, and cannot remain the permanent law of the land.

It is universally regretted that there

was not a full bench to hear the case, and should Justice Jackson resign his successor, there is very good reason to believe, would almost certainly be favorable to the law, in which event another test case very soon would be brought to the court for determination.

Connecticut's Welcome to Ohio's Governor

HARTFORD, April 9.—Governor McKinley arrived in this city at 10:15 this forenoon and visited the senate and house. An informal reception was given at the Alhambra house this afternoon, and in the evening there will be reception and banquet at the Post Guard armory, at which covers will be laid for 400. The speakers will be Governor McKinley, Governor Coffin, Senators Platt, Hawley; Hon. Samuel Fessenden, Mayor Leverett Brainerd, ex-Congressman John R. Buck, Lieutenant Governor Cooke and Hon. E. Stevens Henry.

Death of Ex-Governor Kemper.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., April 9.—Ex-Governor James L. Kemper, of Virginia, died at his home near Gordonsville, Va., aged 72. He was a brave commander in the Confederate army during the late war. He displayed conspicuous bravery in battle, and was many times wounded, the last time at Gettysburg. He was captured at this battle, and it was a long time before he could move about. General Kemper was governor of Virginia in 1874-75.

REV. MR. LANSING IS SORRY.

He Apologizes to the President and Public for Harsh Words Spoken.

BOSTON, April 9.—Rev. Isaac J. Lansing, pastor of the Park street church in this city, who, in an address before the New England Methodist conference at Salem last week, called President Cleveland a drunkard, last night declared himself as follows on the subject:

"My allusions made in a temperance address at Salem on Thursday, April 4, to the drinking habits of the president of the United States were based partly on common report and partly on the testimony of eye witnesses. From various and independent sources, which I believed to be wholly reliable, I had been informed that the president had been seen on different occasions and in the presence of many persons, in an intoxicated condition.

"From the circumstantial and detailed character of these statements I supposed there was no doubt as to the facts alleged. I therefore made this allusion as a matter of common report, basing my confidence on the testimony of personal, and, as I supposed, credible witnesses. The names of these witnesses I cannot with propriety reveal, they might justly shrink from being singled out and called to verify that of which not only they, but others equally with themselves, had ocular proof.

"I must, therefore, say that if my statement, reproducing such testimony, is not in harmony with facts I regret having made it. I could have neither desired nor motive for saying anything unkind or uncharitable of the president or of any party whatsoever. The cause being one of conflict of testimony between witnesses of equal credibility I cannot decide, and since I have no personal knowledge apart from the testimony, I withdraw the statements and tender apologetic and sincere regrets to the president of the United States and to the public."

Maryland Highwaymen Sentenced.

TOWSON, Md., April 9.—Charles Hall, alias Wells, and Charles Campbell, alias Johnson, the notorious highwaymen who terrorized the people of several counties of Maryland and Pennsylvania during the months of December and January last, were arraigned in court yesterday, and both pleaded guilty. Hall was sentenced to the Maryland penitentiary for twenty-five years, and Campbell was sentenced for fifteen years.

Georgia Whitecaps on Trial.

ATLANTA, April 9.—David Butler and John Quarts are on trial for the hanging of Henry Worley in Murray county last March. Worley escaped death in a miraculous manner by wrapping his legs about the tree in which he was strung up and shifting the noose from his neck. He was subsequently shot by whitecaps. He is said to have been a revenue informant.

Denouncing Brooklyn Officials.

ALBANY, April 9.—The special assembly committee to investigate the Brooklyn trolley strike report that the mayor and police commissioner of the city showed a marked lack of fitness for office. It recommends a strict enforcement of the ten hour law; the licensing of the railroad employees; the reporting to the governor by the state board of mediation of when the responsibility lies; the issuance of extraordinary writs of mandamus, and forbidding the wreck of transportation companies to be held by foreign companies.

Terrible Mine Disaster in Washington.

NEW WHATCOM, Wash., April 9.—News has just been received of a terrible explosion in the Blue Canyon coal mine at Lake Whatcom, seven miles from this city. Twenty-one dead bodies have been taken out, and thirteen are still in the mine. Every possible effort is being made to rescue them. A steamer has gone out from this city with Superintendent Donovan, three physicians, ten miners and press correspondents on board. The mine was inspected about three weeks ago and pronounced safe.

Death from Starvation.

CHICAGO, April 9.—Police investigation has developed the fact that Mrs. John Billek, of No. 3,329 Parnell avenue, died Friday from absolute starvation. A month ago she gave birth to a child. Her husband was out of work and has been unable to obtain the necessities of life, to say nothing of the extras required by one in her entangled condition.

Charged with Embezzling Church Funds.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 9.—George Reese is under arrest charged with embezzling \$800 of the funds of St. James' Episcopal church, of which he was treasurer. He was a member of the firm of White & Reese, real estate and insurance agents. His downfall is attributed to fast living and speculation in oil and stocks.

FIERCE STORM OF SAND.

It Blocks Railroads in Western Kansas and Eastern Colorado.

HARDER TO FIGHT THAN SNOW.

Appliances for Battling with Snowdrifts Prove Powerless in Combating the New Enemy—Hardships of Men Compelled to Work with Pick and Shovel.

KANSAS CITY, April 9.—The railroads have been battling with a new enemy in western Kansas and eastern Colorado since last Friday night. It was a combination sand and snow storm which swept over those regions, completely demoralizing train schedules and causing serious inconveniences and discomfort to travelers. The flakes of snow and particles of sand mingled and were driven across the prairies at a terrific speed by the gale, which blew incessantly for two days. There was no loss of human life because the storm was not accompanied by the usual degree of cold, but many cattle and horses in western Kansas are reported to have been suffocated by the whirling clouds of sand.

The sand and snow filled up the railroad cuts and buried the track. The snow melted and the sand settled down in a hard unyielding mass. Rotary snowplows and all the modern mechanical apparatus for battling with snowdrifts were useless against this new enemy, and the railroad companies were compelled to engage men with pick and shovel to remove the sand from the track. The work was begun while the gale was still in progress, and the suffering of the workmen is said to have been intense. The particles of sand driven by a sixty-mile-an-hour wind cut through the clothes of the men and perforated their skin like knives. A few hours work was all a man could stand without seeking shelter from the blinding, suffocating storm of sand.

On board the belated trains the condition of travelers was not much better. Every door and window was closed to shut out the sand, yet it sifted in persistently until the floors of the cars were covered and everything was gritty to the touch. The air in the cars became hot and stifling and the passengers in several instances were compelled to go without food. The first train since Friday to reach this city from Denver except the Burlington train, was the Missouri Pacific train which arrived on Sunday. The Burlington tracks were outside of the storm belt, and its train schedule was not affected.

The Santa Fe's Colorado train arrived Sunday night after a protracted battle with sand and snow drifts. The Union Pacific did not bring in a single train from Denver until 5 o'clock this evening, when the overland reached Union depot. No Rock Island trains from the west reached here until today since Saturday.

No direct wires were secured to Denver until yesterday. There is every probability that when reports begin to come in they will show that cattle on the ranges have suffered great hardships, and it is not improbable that considerable loss was sustained by the stockmen.

In the Hands of Receivers.

PENSACOLA, Fla., April 9.—The Southern States Land and Timber company, an English corporation, with headquarters in this city and offices in New York and London, has been placed in the hands of receivers by Judge Parker, of the United States circuit court. The company is the largest lumber concern in the south, operating in this county four large mills, having a daily capacity of 500,000 feet of lumber, and owning extensive tracts of timber lands in this and the adjoining county of Baldwin, in Alabama. The capital stock is \$250,000, all of which is owned in England. Lord Rosebery, England's premier, being one of the stockholders. The bonded indebtedness is about \$625,000. All of the bonds are held by parties in this country. The mills will probably be kept in operation by the receivers, and it is believed the local creditors will lose but little if any of their claims.

Speaker Peel's Retirement.

LONDON, April 9.—Before a crowded house the speaker of the house of commons, the Rt. Hon. Sir Arthur Wellesley Peel, M. P., arose and announced his resignation, and then delivered his farewell address. The chancellor of the exchequer, Sir William Vernon Harcourt, in expressing the thanks of the house for the services of Sir Arthur Peel, paid a high tribute to his zeal, ability and unremitting attention and firmness with which he had maintained the privileges and dignity of the house. He concluded with moving address to her majesty praying that a signal mark of royal favor may be conferred upon the late speaker. The motion was immediately adopted.

North Carolina's Crop Report.

RALEIGH, April 9.—The first state crop report of this year was issued yesterday. It indicates a large increase of tobacco, truck and grain crops and corresponding reduction of cotton acreage, and adds that there will be a greater diversification of crops than ever before. Wheat looks well, but the severe winter damaged winter oats considerably. The farmers were behind with their work, owing to excessive March rains. The recent great rainfall will cause additional delay.

Great Britain Will Not Aid Queen Lil.

LONDON, April 9.—In the house of commons Sir Edward Grey, parliamentary secretary, replying to a question on the subject, said that the government had heard that the ex-queen of Hawaii, Liliuokalani, had been sentenced to imprisonment, but the matter was not one in which Great Britain could interfere.

Cholera Among Japanese Troops.

LONDON, April 9.—The Times publishes a dispatch from Kobe saying that it is reported here that cholera has broken out among the Japanese troops at the Pusan island. It is added that 400 cases of cholera have occurred, and that of this number 100 persons have died from the disease.

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PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.

A Bill to Prevent Prize Fighting and Authorize Boxing.

HARRISBURG, April 9.—The order of business in the house last night was senate bills on second reading. In addition to the senate measures which passed this stage were house bills establishing state medical examiners and regulating the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery; providing for the employment of two additional draughtsmen in the internal affairs department; increasing the salary of the deputy from \$2,200 to \$3,000 annually. The bill increasing the salary of the superintendent of public printing from \$2,000 to \$3,000 also passed second reading.

The Woods bill provoked a long discussion. It compels municipalities to purchase private water companies before going into the business of furnishing water. The bill passed second reading by a vote of 69 to 64.
In the senate tonight these bills were introduced: To prohibit prize fighting and to regulate boxing with gloves, imposing a fine of \$100 and imprisonment not exceeding three months for prize fighting, and limiting glove boxing contests for scientific points to six rounds; for the prevention of blindness, imposing a duty on all midwives, nurses or other persons having the care of infants, and also on health officers; to enable citizens of the United States and corporations chartered to hold real estate in this state to hold and convey title which has been held by aliens or corporations not authorized by law to hold the same; to prevent the sale of imitation butter.

Sustained by Governor McKinley.
COLUMBIA, O., April 9.—Governor McKinley sustains the three police commissioners of Cincinnati who refused to vote for the removal of Lieutenant Hehan. A committee of the Reform League asked Hehan to arrest certain persons who were giving a theatrical exhibition on Sunday. The lieutenant refused, stating he had been instructed by Mayor Caldwell to make such arrests at the close of the performance, and upon proper proceedings. The officer being sustained by three police commissioners the league carried the case to the governor, who appoints police commissioners for Cincinnati. The league desired the dismissal of the officer.

A Defeat for Cuban Rebels.
HAVANA, April 9.—A band of 150 rebels recently attacked the postoffice at San Landro, Cuba. A detachment of troops was sent to the scene of disturbance, and firing followed between the soldiers and the rebels, who were finally put to flight. Among the killed is believed to be Rabi, the leader of the rebels. Rebels who have been crossing the plain of La Guira have been asking for medicine and surgical appliances with which to care for their wounded.

Train Crashed Into a Rock.

HARRISBURG, April 9.—The last Atlantic express on the Pennsylvania railroad crashed into a big rock which had rolled on the track at Bailey's Station. The engine was wrecked and several Pullman cars derailed. Four persons were slightly injured. Engineer John Smith received a severe contusion upon the leg. Baggage Master Fanning was cut in the face, one passenger suffered a sprained ankle, while another received a fractured wrist.

Venezuela Has Not Explained.

LONDON, April 9.—Replying to Sir George Baden-Powell, Sir Edward Gray said that the government had not yet received any communication from Venezuela respecting the demand made by Great Britain for an explanation regarding the hauling down of the British flag.

Mme. Joinaux's Appeal Rejected.
BRUSSELS, April 9.—The appeal of Mme. Joinaux, the poisoner of several members of her family, who was sentenced to life imprisonment on Feb. 13, 1895, and who on the following day made application through counsel for a new trial, has been rejected.

Mrs. Helm Dismissed.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The president yesterday responded to Frank W. Joplin postmaster at Elizabethtown, Ky., vice Emily Helm. This is one of the appointments made during the session of congress which failed of confirmation. Mrs. Helm is sister-in-law of the late President Lincoln, and has held the office for years.

Twins Cremated in a Kitchen Range.

ST. LOUIS, April 9.—An anonymous letter received by Assistant Chief of Police Ready led to the uncovering of a horrible crime. Mrs. Margaret Storts, a midwife, aged 63, is under arrest, and L. R. Ryan is held for investigation. On March 29 Emma Tourville, aged 25, daughter of a Franklin county farmer, called upon Mrs. Storts at her home for treatment. Ten days ago she gave premature birth to twins, and the infants were cremated in a kitchen range by Mrs. Storts. The mother died and the corpse was shipped home for burial. Mrs. Storts admits all the facts stated, but denies that a criminal operation was performed.

County Records Missing.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., April 9.—A sensation was created in court when Judge Bechtel made the announcement that the records of the county auditors for the years 1869 to 1889, inclusive, were missing from the probate office, and that no trace had been left behind. The loss of these books just at this time appears very suspicious, as they contain many surcharges against public officials, which have been ordered to be pushed by the county commissioners.

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NUGGETS OF NEWS.

In a lively stallion at Washington (D. C.) last night sixteen horses were burned to death.

General the Marquis D'Andigne, member of the French senate and formerly a peer of France, died in Paris yesterday.

Ex-United States Attorney Edward Mitchell has declined the offer of a police commissionership made to him by Mayor Strong, of New York.

While working in a new sewer at Montgomery, Ala., five negroes were buried by a cave-in. One was dead and the others unconscious when taken out.

Dr. James Gilbert, Democrat, was elected mayor of Bordentown, N. J., at yesterday's election, defeating James Tamm, Republican, by 172 votes.

Rubber Works Resuming.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., April 9.—The New Brunswick Rubber company, employing 500 hands, resumed work this morning after a six weeks shutdown. The United States Rubber company, of this city, and the Meyer Rubber company, at Milwaukie, will shortly resume.

Cesar Indicted for Murder.

NEW YORK, April 9.—A true bill was found by the grand jury against William Caesar for the murder of his mistress, Mary Martin.

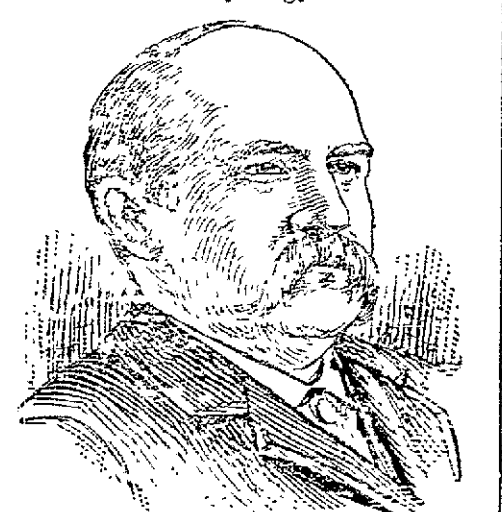
Devastated by a Prairie Fire.

GRAND, O. T., April 9.—In Pawnee county an unknown man on horseback set fire to the dry prairie grass during a high wind, and the country was devastated for many miles. Seventeen farmers lost everything they possessed, having hard work to save the lives of their families, and the village of China was almost destroyed.

CAPTAIN SHOEMAKER'S CAREER.

The New Chief of the Revenue Marine as Scout, Sailor and Life Saver.

Captain Charles F. Shoemaker, the new chief of the revenue marine service, is a son of the late Captain William R. Shoemaker of the ordnance department, United States army, and was born in Glendale, Pa., March 27, 1841. His father was then doing garrison duty in Glendale, and his son's earliest recollections are of incidents in the wild life of the frontier. At the age of 8 years young Shoemaker crossed the plains with Colonel "Jack" Moore, who was commissioned shortly after the Mexican war to lead 1,500 men to stock the military posts of New Mexico. From that time until he was 17 young Shoemaker accompanied his father from post to post along the frontier and had many exciting adventures with the Indians. He became an excellent marksman, and although only a boy was an adept scout and Indian fighter. Despite the fact that his life was full of excitement he found considerable time for study, and by his own persistent efforts managed to secure a fair education.



CHARLES F. SHOEMAKER.

He became particularly interested in mathematics and in 1858 was appointed an acting midshipman at the Annapolis Naval academy. At the end of a three years' course he resigned and entered the revenue service as a third lieutenant. He was attached to the Lewis Cass, stationed at Mobile when the state of Alabama seceded from the Union, and although her commander turned her over to the state and entered the Confederate service young Shoemaker, his brother officers and all the crew returned north and took sides with the Federal government. He served in various revenue vessels during the war and resigned in April, 1864. He was recommissioned a lieutenant in 1868, served until 1875 along the Atlantic coast and was then appointed assistant inspector of life saving stations. Since then he has reorganized or inspected every life saving district except one, has located many new stations and has been instrumental in increasing the efficiency of the entire service.

Kingsley a Harem Favorite.

The curious statement is made that the favorite book in the Turkish harem is a translation of Kingsley's "Westward Ho!"

Worth Knowing.

Many thousand people have found a friend in Bacon's Celery King. If you have never used this great specific for the prevailing maladies of the age, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Rheumatism, Constipation, Nervous Exhaustion, Nervous Prostration, Sleeplessness and all diseases arising from derangement of the stomach, liver and kidneys, we would be pleased to give you a package of this great nerve tonic free of charge. J. J. Chambers 21 West Main street.

Are Your Hands Chapped.

If so, go to any drug store and ask for a free sample of Liquid Francolin, a new preparation for chapped hands. Large bottles, 25c.

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Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Large bottles, 60 cents and \$1.00. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

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WAWAYANDA.

A Promising Horse—Farm Work Delayed—Trees Damaged by Snow Drifts—Butter Making as Against Milk Selling—Funeral of Mrs. O'Brien.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.
—A few days ago Wm. Sutton bought a two-year-old stallion in Sussex county, N. J. The horse is a bright bay in color and for symmetry of form and good qualities is hard to beat.

—The wet state of the ground and the sour weather and the lingering snow banks hinder farmers in getting along with their spring work.

—Notice in some places young fruit trees have been damaged by the heavy drifts piled on them during the snows of last winter. Walter Harlor estimates the injury done to his peach orchard at not less than \$50.

—I hear it stated by some of the level-headed farmers, and I believe the statement is pretty close to the truth, that farmers were, forty or fifty years ago, in a better condition, financially, than now. When butter making was their chief source of profit there was not one quarter as many farms patched with a mortgage as at the present time, with the milk business as the principal industry. The universal fact is when the supply of any article in the market exceeds the demand the result is low prices, and should the milk-manipulators again, this summer, turn the milk-screw down to a cent a quart it will become near starvation allowance and the milk producer will groan in his sleep.

—There was a large attendance of relatives and friends at the funeral of Mrs. Edward O'Brien, on Saturday last. In conveying the remains from Middleburgh to Middletown, to St. Joseph's Church, the procession was nearly half a mile in length. About forty carriages formed the funeral cortege. Mrs. O'Brien was highly esteemed for her many virtues. As a neighbor she was kind and obliging, as a friend she was true and devoted, full of sympathy for those who were afflicted or distressed; as a professed Christian she was faithful; as a mother she taught her children in that good way that they will ever cherish her precepts with grateful remembrance.

JOHNSON.

No More Stops at Wawayanda Station—Visiting Friends—Home Again—Other Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.
—Mr. J. W. Marlett, of Wyke town, N. J., visited this place, Friday.

—The S. and W. milk train will not stop at Wawayanda station hereafter. A few years ago about fifty cans of milk were shipped from this station daily, and now all the farmers in that vicinity bring their milk to the condensery.

—Mr. John O'Grady, of Newburgh, and Mr. William Dugan and sister, of Middletown, spent Saturday and Sunday at the residence of Mr. John O'Connor.

—Mr. E. A. Purcell, who has been running a milk route in New York since last fall, has returned home.

—The travelling in this vicinity is very bad.

—Several of our young men have received invitations to the Easter hop of the Columbus Lyceum, at Franklin, N. J.

OTISVILLE.

Fair in Aid of Holy Name Church.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.
—The young ladies of Holy Name Church at Otisville will hold a fair at Van Duzer's Hall, from Monday April 15th to Friday, April 19th. Many costly articles will be disposed of by chance. There will be dancing and refreshments. The fair will end with a ball and supper on April 19th.

WINTERTON.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.
—Miss Mary Morrow has just returned to Mr. Phillip Dolfin's pleasant home from a visit to Utica. On her return trip she stopped in Brooklyn, where she was the guest of Miss Laura Lamprecht. She reports having had a delightful time with old friends.

WESTTOWN.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.
—A sociable will be held at the M. E. parsonage, Westtown, Friday evening, April 12th. A musical programme will be furnished. All are invited to attend.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature to do its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address:

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GREENVILLE.

An Egg Sociable—School Closed—Personal and Other Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—An egg sociable will be held at the residence of Mrs. Rose Walker, next Friday night, for the benefit of the M. E. Church.

—The school in this village will be closed this week on account of the Teachers' Institute, which will be in session in Goshen.

—Miss Maud Ferguson, of Port Jervis, spent last week among relatives in this place.

—Mr. Wm. H. Cole, of near State Hill, called on relatives in this village, one day last week.

—Miss Wm. Curran is spending a few days with her parents in Port Jervis.

—Peepers began their music in this locality last Saturday for the first.

AMITY.

Attended Mr. Timlow's Funeral—At the Teachers' Institute—Dairy Dehorned

—Change in Hour of Evening Sermon.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Feagles, Jr., and Mrs. Wm. J. Sly were at Gap, Pa., last week, to attend the funeral of Rev. P. J. Timlow.

—Misses Katie Clute, Minnie Wood, Clara Williams and Druella Brice, all of this vicinity, are attending the Teachers' Institute at Goshen.

—Mr. N. R. Feagles, Sr., had his dairy of cows dehorned last week.

—The Sunday and Wednesday evening services at 7:30 in the future instead of 7 o'clock.

—Mr. W. H. Seeley, of Deckertown, is spending a few days with friends in this place.

DECKERTOWN.

Wedding Invitations Issued—The Musicians—The Chautauqua Club—A Whist Club Organized

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Mr. George Bartle, of Middletown, Master Bridge Builder of the N. Y., S. and W., spent Thursday of last week at Sparta, trout fishing, with fairly good success.

—Mr. Uzzev Kinney will celebrate his seventeenth birthday, Monday, April 15th, at the home of his parents on Walnut street.

—The new silk mill will be in operation next week.

—There are a number of April changes this year.

—Mary Margaram is visiting friends in New York city.

—Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Sallie Hiles and L. B. Smith, of Branchville, on April 10th.

—Miss Grace Decker, of Middletown, has been spending a few days with Mrs. H. O. Truex.

—Rev. S. D. Decker is attending conference at Tottenville, S. I.

—The next meeting of the Euclid Club will be held at Dr. Van Gaasbeck's.

—The musicale will be held at the home of Mrs. Mary Margaram, April 16th.

—The Chautauqua Club will meet at the home of Prof. Seeley, April 16th.

—There is much sickness at present.

—A Progressive Whist Club was recently organized and entertained at the home of Miss Clara Wilson.

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BLOOMINGBURGH.

Death of Silas Williams—A New Creamery—The Vocal Society.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—One of our old residents, Mr. Silas Williams, died at his home in this village, last Saturday night, aged seventy-seven years. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, Tuesday, April 9th, at 1:30 o'clock.

—Mr. Dolfini has started a creamery on the north road, about one mile above the village.

—At the last meeting of officers and trustees of the Bloomingburgh Vocal Society, it was decided to have the rehearsals continued until July. It was first thought that the society would close its season April 1st, but owing to the great interest shown by the members the class will continue as stated. Mr. Winchester has, of course, been re-elected for the extra term. There will be no additional expense to those who are already members. New members desiring to join can do so by giving their names with the membership fee to the Secretary, Mr. D. W. Boil.

It is requested that this be done during the present week. The members of the class are unanimous in their praise of Mr. Winchester's most successful methods of teaching and conducting our society. Classes have been attempted here before, but have not been prosperous until now, when the class numbers nearly 100 active members, among them some of our leading people. We intend to make it a permanent organization.

Card of Thanks.

The family of the late Mrs. Edward O'Brien, of Johnson, desire through the ARGUS and MERCURY to return thanks to friends for kindnesses shown in their recent bereavement.

List of Letters.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown post office for the week ending April 8th:

Brown, Nellie E.
Cramer, Mrs. W.
Crause, Miss Lizzie
Decker, Mr. U. S.
Dunning, Mrs. M.
Green, Lillie
Hollister, Mrs. Wm.
Karding, Mrs. R. G.
Ladner, Mrs. H. M.
Lange, Mrs. Sarah M.
Marshall, Mary, care Geo. Smith, Miss Annie
Rush, Miss Rose
Thomas, Caroline M.
Taylor, Mrs. Lizzie C.
Wilson, Eliza Marie

Brown, Geo. H.
Bawahl, D. F.
Booth, G. W.
Cooper, George
Cory, W.
Carson, Walter
Cutter, George O.
Goddard, W. A.
Doran, John

Davis, John E.
Lurye, Joseph E.
Hyde, H.
Hemmen, M. J.
Keele, Cornelius
Maul, W. B.
Thurston, R. F.
Underhill, O. F.

C. L. Elwood, Postmaster.

A Binghamton Baby.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 21, 1892.
Dr. Hand's Colic Cure brought a blessing to my house. My baby is eleven weeks old and had the colic since birth every day. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure gave him instant relief and I shall always recommend Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children to all my friends.—Mrs. A. E. Gaige, 198 Nestle avenue, Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion at all drug stores, 25c.

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MISS STEVENSON'S ENGAGEMENT.

The Vice President's Daughter and Her

Flance, Martin D. Hardin.

Miss Julia Scott Stevenson, whose engagement to Martin D. Hardin of Kentucky was recently announced, has been her mother's strong right arm since the death of Miss Mary Stevenson, the eldest daughter. She is called the beauty of the vice president's family and is as intellectual as she is beautiful. Her bright eyes and her luxuriant hair are brown, her complexion is tinted with the flush of youth and perfect health, her figure is well formed, and she carries herself with rare grace. Great care has been taken in her education, and that she has made the most of her opportunities is demonstrated by the erudition she displays in her conversation. She attended Wellesley college for a time and is very much interested in literary matters. She has written a



MISS JULIA SCOTT STEVENSON.

number of clever things, it is said, is very apt with her needle and endeavors to make her gown as artistic as possible.

Martin D. Hardin is a son of Watt P. Hardin, one of Kentucky's most prominent Democrats. He is now a student in the theological seminary at Danville and has known Miss Stevenson for about two years.

He already possesses considerable local reputation as an orator and will without doubt make his mark in the pulpit at an early day. Two years ago at the intercollegiate oratorical contest held in Columbia, S. C., young Hardin was one of the nine contestants from the nine different states represented, and easily won the medal awarded the most eloquent talker. He is now a professor of elocution in Danville, where he is perfecting himself in his studies for the ministry. He has already occupied the pulpit on numerous occasions, and each time he preaches his fame as an orator and theologian draws the entire community to hear him.

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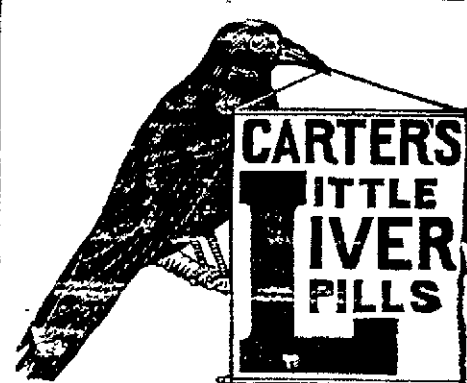
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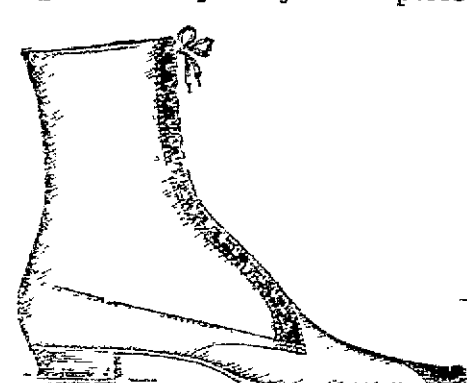
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They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

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in great variety of styles and price



Our new Spring Styles Ladies' Button or Lace Shoes at \$2 and \$2.50 are very popular. Oxford Ties arriving daily. Follow the footprints to

C. D. HANFORD'S,

43 North St.

THERE ARE BICYCLES

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BUT

The Liberty Bicycle

possesses more practical improvements than the best of them all. Call and see them.

B. F. GORDON, Agent

55 North Street,

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"One Price to All"

A. J. CAHILL.

Is the place to buy GOOD CLOTHING CHEAP. We just received a large stock of Men's, Boys' and Youths' Trousers, and we want to show you how far a little will go towards your Spring and Summer Outfit. Call in. No trouble to show goods.

Men's Suits from \$4.00 up. Boys' Knee Pants 16 cents up. Every spring and summer garment new and up to date. Your money back if you want it.



KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleaning the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from any objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50 cent bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

CASINO THEATRE

To-Night and Wednesday

Night, April 9 and 10.

The Great Success of

ANNIE -:- ABBOTT!

endorsed by the leading physicians and prominent citizens of Middletown.

See Her To-night.

She will defy strong men, while standing on one heel, to move her, but can lift the heaviest men by merely laying her hands on them. Three men cannot lift her.

PRICES AS USUAL.

CASINO THEATRE

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

Monday Ev'ng, April 15th.

LINCOLN J. CARTER'S

grand scenic production,

The Fast Mail!

Ten sets of special scenery—Flight of the fast mail, Niagara Falls by moonlight with boiling mist, practical working engine and 14 freight cars, with illuminated caboose; the dago dive, realistic river scene and steamboat explosion, and 100 other startling effects.

PRICES AS USUAL.

JAMES T. KING, Druggist and Pharmacist,

CORNER MAIN AND SOUTH STS.

PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES. CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO COMPOUNDING PRESCRIPTIONS.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 1895.

To-day is the one hundredth anniversary of the signing of New York's public school act by Gov. George Clinton. The event will be fittingly commemorated by exercises in the schools of Brooklyn and other cities of the State.

The post office receipts are regarded as an unfailing index of the condition of trade and it is therefore gratifying to note that the sales of stamps in the last quarter of 1894 were \$1,500,000 in excess of those for the corresponding quarter of 1893, and larger than for any quarter in the history of the postal service.

Rev. Dr. Lansing makes haste to withdraw the charge of intemperance and public intoxication, which he made against President Cleveland in the New England Conference at Salem, and tenders "apologies and sincere regrets to the President of the United States and to the public." He admits that he made the charges on hearsay and cannot even disclose the sources of his information. His plea that he acted in good faith, and from a sense of duty does not excuse him or palliate the enormity of his offense. If such an excuse availed, every other clerical idiot could make use of it whenever his zeal exceeded his knowledge or discretion, and he felt disposed to assail private character from his pulpit.

Another financial crisis was averted by the decision on one of the clauses of the income tax law handed down by the Supreme Court yesterday. We refer to the tax which the law imposed on State, county and municipal bonds, wherever owned, which tax the Court has declared void. There are hundreds of millions of this class of securities in the hands of Europeans, and had the Court held them taxable their designated and demoralized owners would have lost no time in returning them to us and taking the cash for them, in gold, out of the country. It is easy to realize how serious would have been the consequences of another scare over gold shipments. All the plans of the Belmont-Morgan syndicate to protect the Treasury reserve would have been set at naught and panic would have been upon us at once.

MIDDLETOWN BOWLERS WIN.

The James Street Team Defeats the Goshen Main Streets at Midway Park. The James street bowlers met and defeated the Main streets, of Goshen, at Midway Park, last evening. Goshen, as usual, started out in fine shape and won the first game easily. Middletown bowled steadily, however, and won the next two games. The scores:

GOSHEN TEAM	First	Second	Total
Thornett	143	134	277
Farrell	112	131	243
Kipp	141	132	273
Johns	116	108	224
Walsh	177	151	328
	799	659	1458

JAMES STREET TEAM.	First	Second	Total
L. F. Wengert	143	161	304
E. Wengert	134	163	297
Todd	174	162	336
Hoffman	138	112	250
Reus	111	138	249
	717	733	1450

A BLAZING TELEPHONE POLE.

Crossed Wires Start a Blaze in Front of the Exchange—An Unnecessary Alarm.

An alarm was sent in from box 45, last night, about 9 o'clock, and of course the firemen turned out promptly. What little there was of the fire was in the mass of wires on the pole in front of the telephone exchange, at the corner of North and Depot streets.

It is supposed to have been caused by a cross of the electric light and telephone wires aided by the rain. The rubber used in insulating the wires took fire and blazed up for a few minutes. Some one saw the fire and sent in the alarm from box 45 without making an effort to ascertain the location of the fire.

Rheumatism Cured

Rheumatism is caused by lactic acid in the blood attacking the fibrous tissues of the joints. Keep your blood pure and healthy and you will not have rheumatism. Hood's Sarsaparilla gives the blood vitality and richness and tones the whole body, neutralizes the acidity of the blood and thus cures rheumatism.

HOOD'S PILLS are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, cure headache. For dyspepsia try McMonagle & Rogers' Pepsin Laxative.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

FATAL MINE EXPLOSION.

Many Lives Lost By An Explosion of Fire Damp in a Coal Mine.

NEW WHITCOMB Wn. April 9.—By an explosion in the Blue Canon coal mine, near this place, caused by tapping a pocket filled with damp, which ignited, twenty-one out of twenty-three men in the mine at the time are said to have been killed. Four bodies have been taken out.

UNDER FALLEN WALLS.

Seven Persons Killed by the Collapse of Unsafe Buildings.

WHEELING, W. Va., April 9.—Three four-story buildings collapsed, this morning,—the Hutchinson sashery and hardware building and those on either side. Six persons in the Hutchinson building were buried in the ruins, as was also Rev. Father Parli, a Catholic priest, who was passing at the time. It is believed all are dead. The ruins caught fire, but the flames were quickly extinguished. Search for bodies is being rapidly pushed. The loss is placed at \$200,000.

DEATH OF JENNINGS DEMEREST.

NEW YORK, April 9.—Jennings Demerest, the well known prohibitionist, died early today of pneumonia.

SEVENTEEN HORSES BURNED TO DEATH

KINGSTON, April 9.—Metzer Brothers' stables were burned, to-day and seventeen horses were burned to death. Loss \$10,000.

DAMAGE BY THE STORM.

NEWBURGH, April 9.—Damage to the amount of \$1,500 was done at Highland Falls, yesterday, by the storm.

A PLACE FOR "REFORMER" JAKE PATTERSON

WASHINGTON, April 9.—The Government to-day nominated Jacob M. Patterson for Quarantine Commissioner.

FURTHER REDUCTION IN TELEPHONE RATES.

The Hudson River Company Furnishes a Still Lower Scale of Rates.

Mr. A. R. Pfau, of Albany, special agent of the Hudson River Telephone Co., was in town, to-day, and authorized a further reduction in telephone rates, as follows:

GROUNDING CIRCUIT WITH BLAKE TRANS-MITTER.

Business Houses—One party on line, \$30; two parties on same line, \$30; three parties \$24.

Residences—One party on line, \$30; two parties, \$24; three parties, \$18.

GROUNDING CIRCUIT, MAGNETO TRANS-MITTER.

Business Houses—One party on line \$30; two parties \$24; three parties \$21; four parties \$18; five parties same line \$15.

For private residences the prices are \$24, \$21, \$18, \$15, \$12. These rates are for a radius of one mile from central office; each additional quarter mile is \$4 per year. The company will shortly establish an exchange in Goshen, which will prove a great convenience to users of telephones.

Cake and Bun Sale.

Did you ever eat English hot cross buns? They are delicious. You will find them in abundance, with cakes, flowers and Easter eggs at Mr. Oas. Horton's, Roberts street, Thursday afternoon, April 11th, from 3 to 6, and the ladies of Grace Church will gladly sell them to you.

Dartmouth Professors

Called It Incurable.

"I had a painful ulcer on my ankle, which physicians called an old man's sore, due to the poor state of my blood. The sore spread to the size of a saucer, and I had to give up business. The surgeons at Dartmouth College would not perform an operation, claiming that my advanced age, 78 years, in itself was a barrier, and that only temporary relief could be given. I was pining over my misfortune when a friend urged me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I had taken but part of a bottle when the eruption looked more healthy and after taking 6 bottles the sore completely healed, leaving only a scar. Hood's Sarsaparilla also helped my whole system as I have not felt so well for years."

JOHN B. CURRIER, West Lebanon, N. H.

Hood's Pills easy to take, easy to effect. 25c.

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RESCUED FROM TORMENT.

EVERY JOINT IN HIS BODY RACKED BY RHEUMATISM.

Could Not Move His Arm and Was in Constant Pain—A True Story of a Remarkable Cure.

Wm. F. Meier, 18 Park Place, Zanesville, Ohio, says: "About a year ago I had to quit work on account of rheumatism. I had the disease in my hips, back and arms, in fact, in every joint in my body. The pain was intense, and I suffered the most excruciating agony. My doctor could not do anything for me, and I tried every remedy that could be suggested; none of them did me any good, and finally my joints became stiffened and sore. At times I could not move my right arm, and was in constant pain. I procured a bottle of Munyon's Rheumatism Cure, and within a short while was completely cured. I am free from stiffness and pain, and can cheerfully recommend Munyon's Remedy as the best I have ever known."

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure acts almost instantaneously, curing many obstinate cases in a few hours. It is guaranteed to cure rheumatism in any part of the body. Acute or muscular rheumatism cured in from one to five days. It never fails to cure sharp, shooting pains in the arms, legs, side, back or breast or soreness of any part of the body in from one to three hours. It promptly cures lameness, stiff and swollen joints, and all pains in the hips and loins, chronic rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago or pain in the back are speedily cured. It seldom fails to give relief after one or two doses, and almost invariably cures before one bottle has been used.

Munyon's Homeopathic Home Remedy Company, of Philadelphia, put up specifics for nearly every disease, which are sold by all druggists, mostly at 25 cents a bottle.

One person in fifty that wears a good truss, will get well of Rupture. This fact being admitted we justly claim we can cure everyone with our treatment, and experience proves it. Russell House, Thursdays.

DRS. JONES & POTTER

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. F. FICKE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North Street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

	High	Low	Close
Sugar	102 1/2	101 1/2	102 1/2
C. & S. S.	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
O. B. & O.	7 1/4	7 1/4	7 1/4
Chicago O.	71	71	71
D. L. & W.	158 1/2	158 1/2	158 1/2
D. L. & W. F.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Erie	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
General Electric	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
O. & N. W.	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
L. B.	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2
M. F. N. E.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
N. Y. O.	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
N. W.	92 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Susquehanna & Western	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
O. & W.	111	109 1/2	110 1/2
Manhattan	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Southern Ry.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
E. & B.	64	63 1/2	63 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	68 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
U. P.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
W. U.	86 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
U. S. Cordage	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Nat. Lead	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
May Wheat	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
May Corn	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
May Oats	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
May Pork	\$12 30	\$11 90	\$12 27
May Lard	7 02	6 92	7 02

DIED.

SHARPE—In this city, April 8th, '95, of Bright's disease, Charles E. Sharpe, in his forty-fifth year. Funeral services Wednesday afternoon, at two o'clock, at the A. M. E. Zion Church, East avenue. Relatives will meet at his late residence, 92 Fulton street, at one-thirty o'clock. Interment in Hillside Cemetery. Friends who wish to pass by the casket may call at his late residence, 92 Fulton street, Tuesday afternoon, between the hours of three and five o'clock.

F. O. ROCKAFELLOW & BRO., Undertakers and Embalmers, 60 North Street, Lady assistant, Telephone No. 3. dylchls

KNAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, corner West Main and James sts. Lady assistant. Telephone Nos 10 and 22.

DOUGHERTY & RIELLY, Undertakers and Embalmers, 50 Cottage Street, Middletown. Telephone 42—night and day.

Having Purchased the Laundry Business Formerly Conducted by Hawes & Wheeler, AT

206 NORTH ST.,

I wish to inform the people of this city that with increased facilities, and by employing none but the very best workmen, I will be able to turn out first class work promptly.

A share of the Laundry Work of this city is respectfully solicited. My wagon will call for and deliver laundry to any part of the city.

Packages can be left at SATYER'S Clear Store and at COOPER'S Confectionery, West Main street.

HENRY B. MCCREA

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FOR

Sugar Corn!

Oneida county. Fine quality, sweet, tender, milky, white, solid pack, last packing, 500 cases; to April 15th, 1895.

-SLOAT'S-

Cash Store.

Our Advice to Those About to Buy

KID CLOVES!

is to become acquainted with the following popular brands. Most everybody is:

"Neptune," 4 button Glace, at \$1.25
"Abbott," 8 button Suede Mosquetaire at \$1.50; also in 4 button at \$1.25

"Bertrand," 8 button Glace Mosquetaire at \$1.50:
Chester, 4 button Pique, at \$1.00.

Fosterine, 7 hook, at \$1.75.
Fowler, 5 hook, at \$1.35.

William, 5 hook, at \$1.00.
Misses' 4 button real kid at \$1, and the best, best Biarritz Saco

Glove. The above we control. They are all warranted. We want your glove trade. See us for Dress Goods.

CARSON & TOWNER,

No. 11 WEST MAIN STREET, MIDDLETOWN

BOYS, PLAY BALL!

With every suit, a Bat and Ball. A large stock to select from. Remember, all heavy weight goods at a big sacrifice. Men's youths' and boys' suits, extra pantaloons, etc. We are receiving our new spring goods in every department.

Merchant Tailoring Department

The people have heeded our advice in regard to ordering their clothes, so as to have them ready, as our order book will show. We have the stock of foreign and domestic manufacture, for suits, overcoats and extra trousers, and prices right for first class work. Then, Mr. Rodgers seems to please. Silk Hats ironed free.

JOHN E. ADAMS,

Leading Hatter, Clothier, Merchant Tailor and Gents' Furnisher
No. 41 North Street, Middletown.

It is Quite Possible that

Money is Scarce,

but the owner of a dollar can buy about double the amount of goods which he could purchase with it one year ago.

Are you buying Dress Goods?
See our new styles at \$2.69 per dress.

See our new styles at \$1.85 per dress.

See our new styles at \$1.69 per dress.

Fancy Silks to match at 50 cts. per yard.

New Laces and Gimps for trimming.

Are you buying Window Shades or Curtains? We have a great line from 25c up in shades.

Curtain Drapery, 7 shades, 8c per yard, worth 16c.

We are showing many novelties in GOODS for LADIES' WAISTS, Fancy Silks 50 cts., Wash Surahs, Crepon Novelties, etc., 15c.

H. E. Churchill & Co.,

39 NORTH ST.

INSURE YOUR LIFE

IN

The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of

New York.

OLD, STRONG AND RELIABLE.

E. E. CONKLING, AGENT

Samuel Lipfeld,

25 NORTH ST.

Easter Suits

In Every Style

At Lowest Price

For Man and

Youth and Child.

Easter Hats

Gloves and

Neckwear.

CUSTOM MADE TROUSERS.

SAMUEL LIPFELD,

25 North Street.

HANFORD & HORTON.

EASTER GREETINGS!

to your friends may be happily expressed by the many novelties in Easter goods.

Come and see our Easter stock. It includes many things from eggs and chicks to choice books.

All the new things in Fine Stationery. Any initial stamped free, you know, on paper bought of us.

Hanford & Horton,

6 North Street.

BOMB SHELL No. 1

Ladies' Cloth Top

Lace Shoe \$2.

Equal in style, fit and quality to any \$2.50 shoe in Middletown.

JOHN BRADLEY,

57 North St.

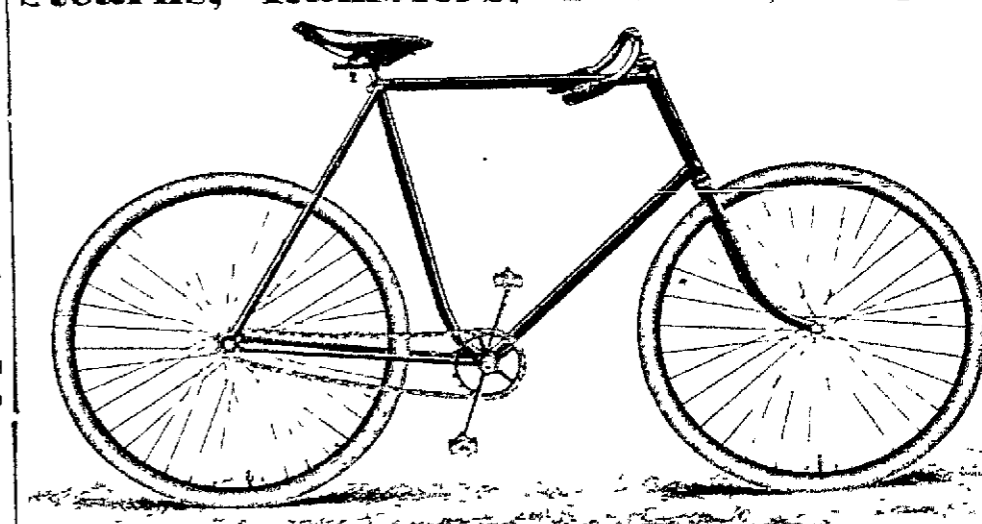
NOW

the moving rush is over, consequently the carpet cleaning rush. I am prepared to call and get carpets, clean them and return in three hours.

E. H. GREGORY.

BICYCLES AND SUNDRIES.

Stearns, Ramblers, Fowlers, Eagles.



Keating Roadster—19 Lbs.

MEDIUM GRADES, MAJESTIC AND ENVOYS.

I guarantee your wheel against puncture. Have several second hand wheels taken in trade, such as Stearns, Majestic, Ben-Hur, Columbia, Hercules, Central, Cradenda, Victoria and Union, all in good running order, which I will sell cheap. Wheels for rent. Wheels repaired.

Charles L. Swezy, 24 North St., MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

SPECIAL SALE

Boys' and Children's Suits!

For the next ten days we will give a discount of ten per cent. on all Boys' and Children's Suits, including our new Spring Goods.

All goods marked in plain figures.

CEO. W. YOUNG.

Co-Operative Building Bank.

Home Office 309 Broadway, New York City

Loans money to buy or build homes in amounts from \$1,000 to \$10,000 to be paid for by monthly installments same as rent.

The Co-Operative Building Bank has nearly 200 branch offices in New York, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Maryland and District of Columbia. It now has nearly \$700,000 already loaned on first mortgages. \$13.67 per month pays for a seven-room house in about nine years. \$5 per month invested in the Co-Operative Building Bank Thirty Day Installment Stock, as an investment, will net the holder \$1,000 in about nine years.

The above bank has a branch office in Middletown, with offices in Central Building, corner North Street and Railroad Avenue, and are prepared to loan money immediately on good real estate home property, to buy or build homes, to be paid back by monthly installments same as rent.

The above bank also has local branches established in Bloomingburgh, Warwick, Florida, Unionville, Westtown, Johnson, Slate Hill, Otisville, Port Jervis, Maybrook and Campbell Hill.

For circulars and full information apply or write to L. P. KNICKERBOCKER, Dist. Supt., Central Building, Middletown, N. Y.

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CARPET TALK.

Talk is cheap, but it takes money to buy carpets; but what we want to impress on the minds of the readers of this paper is that it does not take much money to buy your carpets from us, this spring. When you can buy a 1st-class Smith's Moquette for \$1 per yard, and the 2d quality for 75 cents, the very best 5-frame Body Brussels for \$1, and all other grades in proportion, it seems as if every one ought to have a new carpet this spring. You will be more convinced of this when you see our new spring style. Our line of Axminsters are "out of sight." We never before showed such a line of carpets in the 22 years we have been in business.

Respectfully, THE

C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.

Newburgh, Port Jervis,

Goshen, Matteawan.

DAILY ARGUS.

OPEN EVENINGS.
THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 9.—Fair, preceded by rain, to-day, cooler winds, shifting to westerly and northwesterly.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 54°; 12 m., 61°; 3 p. m., 62°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—April 9, 10.—Annie Abbott, at Casino.
—April 11.—Clam bake and entertainment of Monongah.
—April 15.—"The Fast Mail," at Casino.
—April 15.—A. O. H. ball, at Assembly Rooms.
—April 17.—Faster, hop of Columbus Social Club, at Assembly Rooms.
—April 18.—Excellence's reunion.
—April 19.—Bachelors' faster hop.
—April 21.—Faster and dance of St. Elizabeth's Society, at Assembly Rooms.
—April 24, 25.—"Caprice," in aid of Thrall Hospital.
—April 25.—Ball of Friendship Social Club, at Assembly Rooms.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Fine assortment of millinery at Frank Crawford's.
—See the faster offering at The Hub.
—Mrs. Dr. Edwards (clairvoyant), 13 Cortland street.
—Cut flowers, from Bryan's greenhouse, at Cooper's, 8 West Main street.
—Palme's Oeury Compound for sale by R. C. Tutthill.
—Annie Abbott at the Casino, to-night.
—"The Fast Mail," at Casino, Monday night.
—Beautiful hats, flowers, ribbons, etc., at L. Stern.
—Dr. Haskill's dyspepsia tablets for sale by all druggists.
—Ladies' cloth top shoes \$2 at John Bradley's.
—Judd's baking powder is at Hamilton's.
—Store to let, No. 33 Madison street.
—Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy for sale by all druggists.
—P. Dougherty will sell you a ticket to the old country for \$10.
—Large assortment of clothing and gent's furnishings at Chas. Wolf & Son's.
—Four cans of peas 25 cents at C. E. Valle's.
—\$3.50 for Diamond Medal flour at C. N. Pedmore & Son's.
—Special attractions for Easter at Budwig & Co's.
—Difficult watch repairing at G. J. Gierling's.
—Ladies' shoes cheap at The Hub.
—Bargains in dress patterns, muslin, hose, etc., at H. E. Churchill & Co's.
—Good men's, boys' and children's clothing cheap at A. J. Caelors.
—Cook wanted at the Orange Hotel, Goshen.
—Tutthill's Sarsaparilla 50 cents at Tutthill's Pharmacy.
—Pretty shoes for pretty feet at J. G. Hardin's.
—See adv. of Munyon's Remedies.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Additional local matter will be found on third page.
—Board of Health meets to-night.
—Regular drill of the 24th Separate Company, to-night.
—Board of Trade meeting at its rooms in Masonic building, to-night.
—Grass took on a distinctly green tint during the night, as a result of the warm rain.
—Grass seed is being sown, fertilizers spread and other necessary work done, at the Academy Avenue Park.
—Inspection and muster of the 24th Separate Company at the armory, to-morrow evening.
—The sixteenth annual ball of Middletown Division, No. 1, A. O. H., will be held at the Assembly Rooms, Easter Monday, April 15th.
—Monongah Hose Company's clam bake and entertainment will be held at the truck house, Thursday evening. Tickets may be procured from the committee.
—Do not forget the entertainment at the First Congregational Church, to-night, at 8 o'clock. Admission, ten cents; refreshments fifteen cents extra.
—Last night's rain raised the streams to a higher point than they have reached since last fall. Much water ought to have found its way into the city reservoirs.
—"Little Eva," who left Poughkeepsie, last week, after recovering from an attack of diphtheria, caught cold before she reached the Uncle Tom's Cabin Company in New Jersey, and at last accounts her throat was in a very serious condition.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Hershberg and daughter, Frances, of Hornellsville, are in town, to-day, looking at houses with a view to locating here.

OBITUARY.

Emory Storms.

Mr. Emory Storms, a well known citizen of Port Jervis, died Sunday of kidney disease, in his seventy-first year. On New Year's Eve he wandered from the house of friends with whom he was stopping in Greenville and was exposed to the inclement weather for many hours in his night clothing and had his feet frozen. Kidney disease developed before he had fully recovered from the effects of his exposure, which may have induced the disease.
Mr. Storms was born in the town of Greenville, but resided most of his life in Port Jervis.

Albert E. Crine.

Albert Emmet Crine died at his home in Matamoras, Sunday morning, of a complication of diseases, in his forty-ninth year. He was born in the town of Greenville.

He is survived by his wife and one child and by two brothers, Oscar, of Waterbury, Conn., and George, of Port Jervis, and by one sister, Emma, wife of Ernest Wilcox, of this city.

HOGAN BOILER CO.'S RECEPTION.

A Large Crowd, Including Many Mechanical Engineers and Representatives of Trade Papers, Witnessing the Tests of the Boiler.

The Hogan Boiler Company is holding a reception at its works, this afternoon, for the double purpose of giving the citizens of Middletown an opportunity to inspect the plant, and mechanical engineers and those interested in steam boilers a chance to witness various tests to prove the claims of the company of the superiority of its boilers over others.

Among those from out of town are the following:

Geo. S. Thompson, Fred A. Scheffler, Thos. F. Marvin, Paul H. Grimm, Jesse Dorale, A. Lletze, John L. Ganz, F. R. Low, M. N. Forney, S. D. V. Burr, Fred A. Kimmer, J. F. Keating, T. J. Keesley, Daniel Carey, of New York, and John Hopson, Jr., of New London, Conn.

A PRISONER'S VICIOUSNESS.

Young "Bob" Malone Tries to Assault a Witness Against Him.

All of the prisoners confined in Goshen jail awaiting the action of the Grand Jury were transferred to Newburgh, yesterday morning. While waiting at Greycourt for the Newburgh train young "Bob" Malone, of this city, who was handcuffed to Officer Wood, caught sight of Wilson, the young man who informed the police that the burglary at Pronk & Foster's was being committed. Malone waited until Wilson came within a few feet of him, when he made a vicious pass at his face, just missing him.
He also kicked at him, but the kick also fell short. The New York papers state that Wilson was carried into the car unconscious, while the facts are he was not touched. It was not "Bob's" fault, however; he meant to inflict injury, but misjudged the distance.

DELAYS ON THE O. AND W.

Slides and Wash Outs Interfere With the Regular Movements of Trains.

Traffic on the O. and W. was impeded, to-day, by several mud slides, washed out and damage to bridges. Train 6 was abandoned at Sidney, and train 8 was three hours late in reaching this city. A special train was made up at Ellenville and ran to New York on train 8's time. Train 1 was delayed by a land slide on the West Shore road near West Point.
The East and West branches of the Delaware River are reported to be higher than they have been for years.
The O. and W. Company is replacing several bridges near North Walton and part of the temporary work was washed away. The water is so high that the work of repairing is necessarily very slow.

THE MIDDLETOWN CLUB.

Annual Meeting—Officers Elected—in a Flourishing Condition.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Middletown Club, was held, last evening, resulting in the election of the following gentlemen:
President—James B. Carson.
Vice-President—F. M. Barnes.
Treasurer—Geo. A. Swayze.
Secretary—Frank Buckley.
Executive Committee—Frank B. Denton, D. H. Bailey, W. L. Millspaugh, E. Miller, T. Ed. Hayes.
The reports of officers showing the organization to be in flourishing financial condition. A number of applications for membership are on file and will be acted upon at the next meeting.

Young Gamblers Raided.

Norwich boys have, for several Sundays, been in the habit of resorting to the O. and W. yard in that village where, forcing their way into empty coaches, they would play cards and shoot craps for the money given them by their parents for Sunday school contributions. Sunday, Sheriff Payne raided the car in which the youngsters were gambling. Most of them made their escape, but two or three were captured, and after being soundly lectured were allowed to go.

The Wheelmen's Racing Committee.

President Chas. Higham, of the Middletown Wheelmen, has appointed the following Racing Committee, which will have charge of the meet on Memorial Day: Geo. M. Millspaugh, Ira Moore, H. A. Smith, E. I. Emerson, C. L. Swozy, W. L. Benedict, M. Walthall, B. F. Gordon, A. Stevens, W. B. Ketcham. The president is also a member of the committee ex-officio.

Ball Players Leave Town.

"Oris," Genegal and "Jack" Lawler left town, to-day, for Gloversville, where they will play ball this season. "Artie" Madison leaves to-morrow for Albany. Other well known ball players who will join the above teams are Harmon Smith, Gloversville, and Heckman, Oharlie Tierney and Toohy of last year's Patersons.

The Evolution.

Of medicinal agents is gradually relegating the old-time herbs, pills, draughts and vegetable extracts to the rear and bringing into general use the pleasant and effective liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs. To get the true remedy see that it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only. For sale by all leading druggists.

THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Now in Session in Goshen—List of Teachers in Attendance—Interesting Exercises of the Opening Day.
Specially Reported for the DAILY ARGUS.

The following is a partial list of the teachers in attendance at the institute:

Middletown—Sarah Addie Crawford, Margaret M. Dougherty, Marietta Reye, Lillian Bauly, Mame C. Case, Elizabeth McLauray.
Ossipee—William P. Kauffman, Annie E. O. Kaufman, Charles L. Mattison.
Montgomery—Anna F. Lawson, Laura H. Smedes, Alice Leavenworth, Reuben Fraser.
State Hill—Minnie L. Smith, John W. DeWitt.
Orlenville—Mary F. Smith, Mertie F. Orlehour, Jabez O. Mullison, Albert Magill.
Fair Oaks—Camilla F. Marvin.

Goshen—Jennie M. Van Kleek, Nellie J. Creedon, Jennie Warren, Julia E. Kane, Anna B. Howell, M. Ella Farley, Isabel Kniffin, M. Belle Masterson, Anna A. Farraut, Ida Berthoff, Anna B. Crist, Joseph T. Tracy.

Florida—Sarah W. Houston, Minerva Markley, Frances B. Pierce, Grace L. Clarke, Euronina R. Mapes, J. F. Allen, David Robinson, Arthur J. Clough.

Godeffroy—Nellie Myer.
Cuddebackville—Julia Cuddeback, Lucinda Myer.

New Milford—Mabel E. Esrey.
Westbrookville—Jennie F. Klerman.

Guymard—Veronica E. Waters.
Mintink—Jennie M. Reed, Thos. Cole.

Maple Dale—Blanch I. Northrup.
Pine Bush—Mabel E. Mance, Lizzie Van Orden, George W. Jamison.

Chester—Beatrice A. Albert, Emma E. Grant, Pauline Eddy, Camilla S. Thompson, Cornelia Maynard, Mary A. McCormick, Jennie S. Mapes, Genevieve Phillips, Grace Farmer, Frank Wilson.

Johnson—Carrie Myers, Laura Cuddeback, Mary E. Reed.
Bloomingsburg—Iva Lena Lowther.

Greenwich—Jessie B. Penney.
Sparrowbush—Kittie B. Fullerton, James Hultslander, Hattie A. Coleman, S. E. DuBois.

Rio—Grace Ormsum.
Cahoonzie—Mills E. Banks.

New Hampton—Augusta A. Wickham, Lillian Tyndall.

Bullville—Keturah M. McMonagle, Stony Ford—Sadie E. Shafer.

Warwick—Mabel S. Mapes, Julia A. Reed, Elizabeth A. Demerest, Mary Lida Wright, Kate V. Beebe, Winifred Duffly, Grace M. Wyans.

Huguenot—Mrs. L. Cuddeback.
Rockier—Maria L. Ruley.

Campbell Hill—Mazie L. Tutthill, Mattie Mould.

South Centerville—Annie Shultz.
Sugar Loaf—A. B. Benedict.

Edenville—Nannie Irene Moore.
Unionville—Ida Van Sickle, W. D. Moulton.

Greenwood Lake—S. A. Leach.
Howells—Hamilton Armstrong, Fred L. Andrews.

Washingtonville—Fred E. Sleight.
Lawton—Alfred E. Conklin.

Tri-States—Isaac Lane.
Thompson Ridge—William B. Falconer.

Mount Hope—E. Z. Courtright.
Westtown—Allan W. Winter.

The weather for institute week is generally fine, but this year is an exception. Rain does not frighten teachers, however, and about 140 registered to-day.

The institute was formally opened at 2 p. m. by Commissioner Willard M. Clark, who, in a few pleasant words, introduced the conductor, Professor Welland Hendrick, A. M.

After the singing of "America" Prof. Hendrick read the 28th Psalm, which was followed by the Lord's prayer in unison. "There's Music in the Air" was then sung, after which the conductor occupied the first period in a talk on "Changes in the school laws and regulations." He spoke of to-day as being a day of change since the former Superintendent of Public Instruction, the Hon. James F. Crooker, gives place to his successor, the Hon. Charles R. Skinner.

The 9th of April is the one hundredth anniversary of the day on which the Governor of the State signed the bill which gave State aid to schools, therefore we celebrate the centennial of the public school system. The conductor further spoke of the act of the Legislature in condensing the school laws into what is called "The Consolidated School Act."

Then followed a most interesting and animated discussion of the provisions of the compulsory school act, and many valuable points were brought out, in which the teachers freely took part.

Information was given regarding the changes made in the regulations relating to third grade certificates, and the lessening of the number of examinations.

After a recess of fifteen minutes, the second period was opened by the singing of "The Watch on the Rhine." Miss Gracie L. Rice then began a series of lessons on drawing, which ought to be of great value to the teachers. Miss Rice is a very fine instructor to follow; you have plenty of use for your note books, and she does not like to leave a subject without feeling sure that it is understood. Her subject, yesterday, was "color."

The book tables are always a source of great interest to members of the institute, and among those in charge we notice James E. Hughes, representing E. E. Kellogg & Co.; B. W. Valentine, for C. W. Bardeen; C. Bohmid, Jr., of the Milton Bradley Co., and F. J. Lohbett, for the Educational Publishing Co.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

The Pre-Byterian Church's 175th Anniversary—Order of Exercises—Leased Stables—A Home for the Summer—Personal and Local Notes.
From Our Regular Correspondent

The arrangements are completed for the services commemorative of the 175th anniversary of the First Presbyterian Church at Goshen, which will commence on Sunday, April 21st, and continue until Thursday evening, the 25th. Following is the complete programme, as announced by Rev. R. B. Clark at the services in the Presbyterian Church, Sunday morning:

Sunday—11 a. m., historical address by the pastor; 3 p. m., union assembly of the Sunday School, Christian Endeavor societies and Boys' Brigade; 7:30 p. m., praise and thanksgiving services.

Monday—7:15 p. m., addresses by Rev. Bishop E. G. Andrews, D. D., of the Methodist Church, Rev. A. H. Bradford, D. D., of the Congregational Church, and Rev. B. Byler, D. D., of the Disciples of Christ.

Tuesday—7:30 p. m., addresses by the Rev. Edward Judson, D. D., of the Baptist Church, and Rev. D. J. Burrell, D. D., of the Reformed Church.

Wednesday—7:30 p. m., addresses by the Rev. John Hall, D. D., L. L. D., of Union College, and probably President Merrill E. Gates, L. L. D., of Amherst College, and Chancellor H. M. MacCracken, D. D., L. L. D., of the University of the City of New York.

Thursday—7:30 p. m., sermon by the Rev. John Hall, D. D., L. L. D., of New York.

The people of Goshen and of the neighboring cities and villages will be heartily welcomed to all these services.

The music, which will be a special feature of the services, will be under the direction of Mr. W. W. Whidditt, Jr., organist and choirmaster. The chorus will consist of a chorus of forty voices, assisted at the various services by the following artists: Miss Katherine Hille, Miss Bertha Harmon, sopranos; Miss M. M. Leverich, alto; John D. Shaw, bass; the Schumann Male Quartette—S. Fischer, Miller, tenor; Addison F. Andrews, tenor; Grant O'Neil, baritone; John D. Shaw, bass; H. Kochenbach, cornet, and the choirs of the First Congregational Church and the First Congregational Church, Middletown.

Mr. Joseph S. Coates has leased the L. G. Andrews stables on South street and will open them as boarding and training stables for horses.

Mr. John Dougherty, a New York policeman, is visiting his mother in this village.

Mr. W. W. Lockwood, of the American Tobacco Co., of New York, was in town, yesterday, on a visit to his brothers and sisters.

The weekly drill of Dikeman Hose Co. occurs at 7:30 o'clock, to-night.

Mr. Harry Mills, of Waldwick, was at Goshen, last night, calling on old friends.

Mr. G. B. Horton, of New York, has rented Mr. N. H. Sanford's house on Church street for the coming summer season.

Reports from St. Luke's Hospital in New York, where Mr. H. B. Levy is under treatment, state that he is improving rapidly.

A Washout on the Crawford Branch.

The heavy rains, yesterday and last night, caused a washout on the Crawford Branch of the Erie, at Crawford Junction, and when the Pine Bush train arrived at that place, this morning, the rails were covered with water a foot deep.

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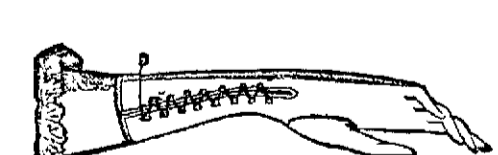
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SPEAKER OF THE COMMONS.

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Arthur Wellesley Peel Soon to Retire.

The prospective resignation of Arthur Wellesley Peel, speaker of the house of commons, and his probable elevation to the peerage is at present one of the leading topics of discussion in English political circles. For 11 years Speaker Peel has presided with skill and discretion over one of the most turbulent legislative bodies in the world and is accounted the strongest speaker the commons has seen since the late Lord Eversley.

The speaker is the youngest son of the great Sir Robert Peel and a godson of the Duke of Wellington. He was born in 1829 and educated at Eton and Balliol college, Oxford. In 1865 he entered parliament for Warwick and has represented that borough since then. The speaker is nominated by the party in power and is elected by unanimous acclamation. As a rule, too, a speaker is re-elected as often as he pleases.

The ceremonies attending the election of speaker, which will soon be re-enacted at Westminster, are rather interest-



SPEAKER ARTHUR WELLESLEY PEEL.

ing. The member proposed remains seated in the body of the house until the vote is declared, when, after the leaders of all the political parties have eulogized his character and expressed their desire to support his authority, he proceeds to the steps of the chair and submits himself to the house, begging them to consider well their choice before deciding. No dissentient voice being heard, he accepts the office and seats himself in the chair amid plaudits from all sides. Some nominal business having been done, a short recess follows, after which the speaker elect reappears in court dress, black cloth coat, with lace frill and braided buttons, black kerseymer breeches, black silk stockings, shoes with silver buckles, and over all a richly braided black silk gown with a long train and a full bottomed curled white wig falling on his shoulders. He is preceded by the sergeant-at-arms, in full court dress and sword, bearing the gold mace and followed by a retinue of ushers and other officials.

Thenceforward the speaker ceases to belong to any political party or to take any part in debates or divisions, unless compelled to exercise a casting vote, which he always gives on that side which allows of further consideration of the question.

The Life Plant.

There is a plant in Jamaica called the life plant because it is almost impossible to kill it or any portion of it. When a leaf is cut off and hung up by a string, it sends out white, threadlike roots, gathers moisture from the air and begins to grow new leaves. Even when pressed and packed away in a botanist's herbarium it has been known to outgrow the leaves of the book in which it was placed. The only way to kill it is by the heat of a hot iron or of boiling water.

Moses Kimball.

The late Moses Kimball of Boston, who made his money as a theatrical manager in that city, was an interesting character. For many years his ambition was to be mayor, but the politician never took kindly to his aspiration. When he was an alderman, before the war, he voted and spoke against allowing Daniel Webster the use of Faneuil hall to refute the abolition arguments of Wendell Phillips.—Boston Letter.

Gas lamps were introduced in the Paris streets in 1819. Their employment caused no little remark among the country people, who got an idea that there was some magic about the matter.

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Messages Cost 12 1-2 Cents Each, and All Must Be Prepaid.

The telegraph service of Great Britain is undoubtedly quicker, more reliable and cheaper than that of the United States. I make this statement after proper allowance of the differences in distances. It costs 12 1-2 cents for 12 words and 1 cent for every additional word. This for Great Britain and Ireland—a uniform rate.

It works admirably, as nearly all the postoffices are also telegraph offices. As a rule, the people are civil and obliging, and the delivery of messages more prompt than with us.

These postoffices, which include, as a rule, news stands and stationers' shops, are scattered all over the city, especially in London, and one has no such trouble in getting postoffice orders, postal notes, stamps, etc., as is too often the case in New York.

Another great advantage of the British system is that there is no such thing as sending messages "collect." You can prepay an answer to a telegram, and the boy brings up a blank with the telegram when an answer has been paid for.

Again, if you write to any one and want a telegraphic reply, merely inclose a blank with sixpenny postage stamps affixed. This saves the trouble of transmitting money or imposing on a friend for reply.

At one of the big city dinners a few weeks ago I sat opposite W. H. Preece, C. B., the engineer in chief and electrician of British Telegraphic Wonder-land. He was greatly interested in the fact that we counted the population by the means of electricity, and of course knew exactly how it was done.

The increase in 25 years of messages alone from 6,500,000, when three private companies controlled the business, to 70,000,000 messages in 1894, tells its own story. That the number of offices has increased threefold, now numbering 9,000, and the miles of wire have increased from 60,000 to 290,000—surely this indicates that the public are well and cheaply served.

Financially the telegraph department is today paying expenses, but not the interest on the money invested. It is claimed, however, that the division of expenses between the postoffice branch and the telegraph branch was of such an artificial character that the two services should be looked at together financially. This would show a net annual surplus of from \$13,750,000 to \$15,000,000—a very handsome addition to the public revenue.

A uniform telegraph service, say, at 25 cents per message, is no more, in this advanced age of electrical appliances, than a uniform 2 cent letter rate was when adopted.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

LION AND THE LAMB.

You Must Decide Which Was Lyrin and Which the Young Sheep.

"Yes," said the lion of the evening. "I flatter myself that we African explorers get in some queer places."

The fair young girl at his side regarded him dreamily.

"I, too,"—her eyes brightened and she spoke quickly—"have been around a little. Let me see!"

He smiled superciliously.

"Around the world in 50 days; a winter in the arctic; two weeks in a balloon; on horseback through Asia Minor; six months in Patagonia; among the hill tribes of India; through the diamond fields of Kimberley; in the Australian bush; across the Great American desert; from Sweden to Siberia; two months in Alaska, and on foot through the Bitter Root mountains of Idaho. Yes!"

Again that dreamy look.

"We young lady reporters have to hustle round!"

And for the space of five minutes the African explorer sat silent and thought he was thinking.—New York World.

Science.

"Which reaches you the quicker," asked the teacher, "sight or sound?"

"Sound," replied the new boy.

"No, William, that's not the right answer. Sight reaches us first. If you watch a band playing a good way off, you'll see the drummer hit the drum a second or so before you hear the sound of it."

"Yes'm. But sometimes sight don't reach you first."

"Can you give me an example?"

"Yes'm. The new postoffice. Pa said this morning that we had been hearing about the new postoffice for the last ten years and wouldn't see it for the next 20."—Washington Star.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St. San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at McMonagle and Rogers' Drug Store.

Beckton's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by McMonagle & Rogers.

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BENCH, BAR AND JURY.

APRIL CIRCUIT OF THE SUPREME COURT AT NEWBURGH

The First Day's Proceedings—Call of Calendar—Many Cases Off and Over, but Many Ready for Trial—A Few Cases Disposed of—A Duck Shooting Case from Greenwood Lake.

From the *Newburgh Journal*.
Circuit Court convened in Newburgh, Monday morning, Justice E. M. Cullen presiding. Mr. Charles Sears, of Montgomery, was made foreman of the Grand Jury. Judge Cullen's instructions to the Grand Jury were very long.

The call of the calendar showed the following disposition of cases:

Abell vs. Henry Bell Publishing Co.; Alexander vs. Wm. H. Searles; Adams vs. Hasbrouck; Rose vs. Utter; Ryerson vs. Doremus; Dorsey vs. Seward; Swartwout vs. P. J. M. and N. Y. R. Co.; Carr vs. Schaus; Oregon vs. N. Y. O. and H. R. R. Co.; Bogart vs. Radford; Tyndall vs. Rockafellow; Homer Smith vs. Byron; Thorn vs. Birdsell; Denany vs. Hillside Cemetery Association; Hathaway vs. Decker; Doremus vs. Ryerson; Malvina Berge as admx. vs. Newburgh Electric Railway; Fisher vs. Millott; Findlay vs. Hallock; Frances A. Miller vs. Adam W. Beakes; Thomas Marvel vs. Frederick Luckenbach; Wm. C. Simpson vs. Jacob Rupert Brewing Co.; Slaughter vs. McElroy; Waterbury vs. Wilcox; DeWint vs. Donnelly.

OVER
McClure vs. N. Y. O. and W. Railroad; Emma Relyes vs. George Relyes; Barker vs. N. Y. O. and W. Railroad; Orange County Trust and Safe Deposit Company vs. William G. Stanton; Collier vs. Layton; Austin O. Bull vs. N. Y. L. E. and W. Railroad; Lulley vs. D. and H. Canal Co.; Rose vs. King and another; People of the State of New York vs. Martin Morehouse; Greenwood vs. Holden; Lillian Moses vs. Newburgh Electric Railway; Strauss vs. Newburgh Electric Railway; Bramall vs. Long; McWilliams vs. Middletown Ice Co.; Wm. Pfeiffer vs. Newburgh Electric Railway Co.; Bronseld vs. Harrison; DeWitt S. Schoonmaker vs. Matilda Schoonmaker; Kane vs. Middletown-Goshen Traction Co.; Davis vs. O. L. C. Kerr; Matilda Schoonmaker vs. John B. Schoonmaker; Mary Hearmon vs. John King; Meyer vs. King; Dudley vs. Morris; Sage vs. Bohan; Krantz vs. Bohan; Eleton vs. Maes; Evan vs. Neville; Drenkel vs. Pennsylvania Coal Company; Caldwell vs. Henry Powell Ramsdell; Wm. C. Chambers vs. N. Y. Stone Crushing Co.; Johnson vs. Porter; Evans vs. Redfield; Decker vs. City of Middletown.

SPECIAL TERM.
Strausser vs. Strausser; Travelers' Insurance Co. vs. Peter M. Arthur; A. Elvira Denniston vs. Andrew Kniffin; William O. Chambers vs. James H. Lancaster.

EQUIT.
Elizabeth Clark vs. Jesse Durland; Charles B. VanDuzer vs. John M. Quackenbush.

SETTLED
Frederic Reed vs. William H. Aldridge; Henry Bacon vs. Henry P. Olanson; Wm. O. Chambers vs. Frank D. Moffet; Sidney Bell vs. Mary Benes.

FIELD FOR INFORMATION AS TO DISPOSAL.
Mary Dotzert vs. James Henry Dotzert; Idlewild Temperance Association vs. Ira Wood; Lewis Wilcox vs. John King.

TO BE TRIED IN BROOKLYN.
Wm. J. Groe vs. Irving Brown.

STAY.
James L. Chambers vs. Joseph V. Jordan.

READY.
Cecelia Beebe vs. N. Y. and N. E. R. R. Co. Tuesday morning; James Anderson vs. N. Y. O. and W. R. R. Co. Tuesday; Mary E. Ritter vs. N. Y. O. and W. R. Co. Tuesday; John Keller vs. John King. Thursday; John Henry Hoskins vs. Benj. F. Dunning. Thursday; Wm. H. Ellis vs. Percy Thompson. Tuesday; Wm. Barnes vs. Elizabeth Sutherland; Sidney Bell vs. Conrad Odinet. Wednesday; Frank Horowitz vs. New Jersey Steam Boat Co.; N. L. Wygant vs. Abram B. Smith; Martin V. Sigler vs. Ransom Wilcox; People State of New York vs. Wm. C. Degraw—two cases; Anna Reall vs. city of Newburgh; James Welsh vs. John King. Thursday; Thomas Lamey vs. N. Y. O. and H. R. R. Co. Wednesday; James Weed vs. N. Y. O. and H. R. R. Co. Wednesday; Deuben Munson vs. St. Paul Fire and Marine Ins. Co. Thursday; John Winkokey vs. Kilmer Mfg. Co.; Wm. J. McKay vs. John King. Thursday; John Y. Ryan vs. John King. Thursday; Sidney Bell vs. Patrick A. Gaynor; George D. Woolsey vs. N. Y. Stone Crushing Co. Thursday; Charles H. Duryea vs. Thomas J. Bonnell; John A. Clark vs. Little A. Clark. Thursday; Wm. Conlon vs. N. Y. O. and H. R. R. Co. Thursday; Wm. B. Brown vs. Charles A. Cromwell. Wednesday; Charles Dunn vs. James Champion; Simon Sherman vs. Newburgh Electric Railway Co. Tuesday; Eliza A. Forest vs. Newburgh Electric Railway Co. Tuesday; Wm. Plughell vs. Jacob Foster. Wednesday; John Coles vs. Barney McGuire; Kittle G. Spratt vs. Newburgh Electric Railway Co. Edwin H. Belknap vs. Skidmore Mercantile Co.

The calendar called, on request was given in the case of Helen M. Dorsey

vs. Frederick W. Seward. The complaint was dismissed and judgment ordered for the defendant on counter claim. A referee was appointed to fix damages and report.

A suit for damages, slander being alleged, was then tried. Nathaniel L. Wygant, of the town of Newburgh, accused Abram B. Smith, a not distant neighbor, of applying to him such epithets as "thief." The defendant failed to appear, and the jury rendered a verdict of \$50 for the plaintiff. The Court ordered five per cent. allowance.

An inquest in the case of H. Abraham Ladd vs. Walton S. Martin resulted in a judgment of \$1,598.38.

An interesting suit, instituted by the alert Game Protector, Dr. Willett Kidd, was next tried. Allegation was made that on Oct. 20th last, a party of men went sailing on Greenwood Lake in a steam launch belonging to William C. Degraw, a hotel keeper at the lake. The party had guns, and when the launch approached a lot of wild ducks, some of the ducks were fired and two of the ducks were killed and hauled aboard the launch. Now, the law forbids shooting ducks from a boat other than one propelled by hand. Upon the boat at the time were Mr. Degraw, some of his employees and two men from Brooklyn, Arthur Bellows and Craig Pennington. The shooting of the ducks that day caused the institution of two suits against Mr. Degraw, civil actions to recover the penalty of \$25 for each offense. Several witnesses were sworn, and the testimony was strong that Degraw fired at the ducks. Bellows and Pennington each testified that he was so intoxicated on the day in question that he did not notice what really was transpiring. Judge Cullen charged the jury that the burden of proof was clearly with the plaintiff.

Following this suit the case of Mary Dotzert and another vs. James Henry Dotzert, as admx., was called. The suit was an action to set aside deeds. The suit was dismissed with costs in favor of the defendant.

The second suit against Degraw, just mentioned, was then taken up, but a decision was made to let it go over until May.

The jury in the first suit against Degraw returned a verdict of \$50, the full amount.

Selatic Rheumatism Cured.
L. Wagner, Wholesale Druggist Richmond, Va., says: "I had a fearful attack of Selatic Rheumatism, was laid up almost two months; was fortunate enough to get MYSTIC CURE FOR RHEUMATISM. This cured me after doctor's prescriptions had failed to have any effect. I have also heard of fine results from others who have used it." Sold by J. E. Mills druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

The latest results of pharmaceutical science and the best modern appliances are availed of in compounding Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Hence, though half-century in existence as a medicine, it is fully abreast of the age in all that goes to make it the standard blood-purifier.

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

CUT Flowers of all kinds received every morning at C. J. EVERSON'S Candy Store, 4 West Main street, from Ryan's Greenhouse. Orders received for Easter decoration.

THE Ladies will find us headquarters for stylish trimmed Hats at close prices. We are showing a larger assortment of Paris hats, also pattern hats, than ever before. An inspection invited.

STORE to Let, 31 Fulton street, near tannery, lately occupied by Thos. Farrell, Jr. Has been run for twenty years as a grocery and liquor store. First class stand. Possession given at once. Enquire of P. DOUGHERTY.

I WILL open my Millinery parlors on Monday April 8th, at my home, 13 Mulberry street, Middletown, N. Y., next door below First Baptist Church. Will also do stamping.

MISS EMMA E. KORN, formerly with M. A. O. Wickham and L. Stern 2943t

TRAVELERS Wanted—Faithful gentleman or lady to travel representing established house salary \$40 monthly and expenses with increase. Enquire, reference and self addressed stamped envelope 563d4mApr12 THE DOMINION CO., Chicago

HEADQUARTERS General Lyon Post, No. 296, Dept. N. Y. G. A. R., April 8th, 1895. Special order No. 3. Attention, comrades—A special encampment will be held at headquarters at 1.30 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, April 10th, to attend funeral of Comrade Charles L. Sharpe, Co. H, 3rd U. S. C. T. By order of D. H. KILLICK, Jr., Commander. 182t

W. CLIFFORD ROGERS, interior decorating painter, sign and ornamental painting and paper hanging shop, corner Main and Henry streets.

PRINTERS on custom made shoes put in two fine calf shoes, hand sewed, from \$1 per pair. CRIGGS, No. 42 WEST MAIN ST.

BOARDS Wanted at the Hotel Education, No. 21 King street.

FIVE Painted banners wanted to have their photos taken in basic 12x18 at CONKLIN'S Ground Floor Studio, 141 North St., Middletown 744mApr12

LEONE POLI TIE Tie of Blue and Red and polisher. Address 56 West Main street, Middletown, N. Y. 56mOct

JOHN C. R. TAYLOR has moved his law office from the Stern Building to rooms 5 and 6 in the building 56d4mApr12

OUR Lot of Horses just arrived at the farm of Isaac Millack, at Latonown, N. Y., in town of Greenville. Call and get prices before purchasing elsewhere. Tel. 414. Terms 56d4mApr12 WILLIAM HOSKING.

IT'S GOOD, IT'S CHEAP, IT'S EASY TO GET

Just call at 21 JAMES STREET and ask for a TUTHILL'S BAKING POWDER. ONLY 10 CENTS. Guaranteed to give satisfaction.

E. A. HAMILTON.

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CHARLES Z. TAYLOR, Contractor and Builder, No. 1 Railroad avenue. Jobbing at short notice.

STORAGE TO LET. Apply to WM. LOEVEN, 93d4mApr12 No 21 Mounhagen avenue.

FIVE Rooms to rent, second floor, No. 161 East Main street.

FOR RENT Six rooms and bath room, on second floor. Enquire at 134 and 136 East Main street.

PARTS of several houses to rent. Apply to ROBERT LEMON, 11 Grove street. 56d4t

BARGAIN—For sale, house and lot on East avenue. Lot 55x150. For further particulars enquire at No. 53 East avenue. 56d4t

A GOOD Cook wanted at the Orange Hotel; good wages will be paid. EDSELL & VANNESS.

HOMESTEAD Building and Loan Association. Regular meetings for collection of dues Monday and Tuesday evenings.

WANTED—\$1,000 on bond and mortgage, 6 per cent. EDWIN S. JERRILL, Attorney at Law, No. 16 East Main street.

HELP WANTED.
BY Fairly competent women, each with an infant or young child, situations in the country (general housework, plain cooking, etc.) Small wages expected. Fare paid by association. Apply State Charities Aid Association, United Charities Building, 105 East Twenty second street, New York city. 744mApr12

ANSWER THIS.
The largest subscription house in the country wants a first class representative for this community for strictly special work. Short hours. Good pay. Must be teacher, or wide awake man or woman given preference. Address, State Charities Aid Association, United Charities Building, 105 East Twenty second street, New York city. 744mApr12

CLAIRVOYANT.
MRS DR EDWARDS will remain in Middletown, at 13 Cortland street, until another week, and Tuesday morning, April 10th, at 7 o'clock. Will leave on that day positively. Office hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Ladies 50c to \$1; gentlemen \$1. 744d4t

MILLINERY AND DRESSMAKING.
MRS M S COUNT has just returned from New York city with new spring millinery goods. All the latest Easter novelties.

NOTICE TO POLICY HOLDERS.
The offices of the Industrial Benefit Association, of Syracuse, N. Y., formerly in the Hasbrouck Building, North street, are now in Geo. B. Adams & Co's Building, 33 North street.

NOTICE.
Sealed proposals for leasing premises for a term of five years for a postoffice at Middletown, N. Y., will be received at the Middletown (N. Y.) postoffice until April 15th, 1895. Proposals to include boxes, fixtures, furniture, fire and burglar proof safe, water, and the heating and lighting of the premises. Blank proposals may be obtained at the postoffice.

FOR SALE.
The fine residence of Mrs. Sarah Davis, No. 7 Orchard St., with 10 rooms and all the modern improvements. Lot 50x135 1/2 feet. Everything in first class order. A rare chance for a bargain to a quick buyer.

GARDNER & M'WILLIAMS, 25 NORTH ST.—MIDDLETOWN.

BEST GRADES OF Winter and Spring Wheat Patent Flours!

GRAIN, MILL FEEDS, HAY AND STRAW.

C. J. EVERSON, SUCCESSOR to GEO. L. EVERSON, NO. 4 KING STREET

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We Have Every Style of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats in Stock.

BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS, RIBBONS!

and Trimmings in all its branches; none such elsewhere. Ladies' Capes, in all colors, from 75c up to \$20. Ask to see our all wool Child's Reefers in all sizes for 98 cts., and better ones in proportion. Over 200 dozen Ladies' Shirt Waists from 25c up. Look at our Shaded Silk Waists for \$2.98. Sold elsewhere at \$1 more. Come to headquarters for all these goods at

STERN'S, 13-15 NORTH STREET.

It Won't Tire You to Pay 50c. for a Bottle

TUTHILL'S Sarsaparilla Compound,

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NEW TO-DAY.

THE HUB SHOE STORE, 13 West Main Street.

EASTER OFFERING.

Men's Patent Leather Shoes \$3.00, WORTH \$4.00
MEN'S RUSSET SHOES \$1.50, WORTH \$2.00.

Ladies' Blucherette \$1.45, WORTH \$2.00.

Oxford Ties of all the leading spring styles Ladies' E. E. E. and Comfort Shoe—All reliable goods.

Trade Secrets on Neckwear.

The markets are full of trashy Neckwear, made up cheap and cotton lined. We don't handle that kind, as good neckwear is reasonable enough. We show a large variety at 25 cents, all silk and silk lined; not like some silk prints or cotton back. A line at 35c, formerly 50c. High grade neck wear 50c.

P. S.—Easter Gloves and Canes,

Morris B. Wolf.

MILLINERY AT A SPECIAL SALE.

MONDAY, BRIGHT AND EARLY begins our EASTER SALE of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats. One lot Trimmed Hats at 59c., only about one-third value.

One lot Trimmed Hats \$1.19, you would doubtless pay \$2.50 elsewhere

One lot \$2.39 instead of \$5. Ribbons, Novelties, Flowers, Trimmings, etc

We are in this business to sell hats, and we shall do it at dry goods' profit.

ECONOMY STORE, 114 North St.

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and continuing all the week.

Hats and Bonnets!

Trimmed and Untrimmed; Flowers, Lace, Ribbons, Millinery Ornaments, Parasols, Kid Gloves. First-class experienced New York Milliner in charge. Come and see.

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The Cash Fancy Goods House of Middletown. 63 North Street. Next to Postoffice.

BUY OF THE MAKER.

When you do so you save the middleman's profit, and that you can only do by buying of us.

We Make Every Stitch of Clothing We Sell,

and give you the advantage of dealing direct with the manufacturer. We buy our woolsens direct from the mills, that make the cloths, and

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under our own supervision. Of course our opposition in trade is loth to admit all this, as they would, by doing so, advise their trade to deal with us, but a

Visit to Our Manufacturing Department,

to which is devoted the entire floor above our store—will convince anyone that by buying of us they buy DIRECT from the makers. Everybody welcome.

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS

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Knee Pants from 19 Cents Up. Boys' Waists from 15c. Up.

CLOTHING TO ORDER!

First-class Reliable Work.

Suits to Order \$15 and Up.

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HOW IS THIS? WE'RE MOVED.

Ladies' fine lace Shoe, 98c
" button, 98c
Baby Russet, 2 to 6, 25c
Dongola, 2 to 6, 25c
The best \$2 shoes for men.
Men's Kangaroo, genuine, \$2
Job lot.

J. H. ROSENKRANSE, 108 North St., Middletown

More room for our Stock of Choice Groceries. We are now in the Koch Building, Corner West Main and Mill streets.

Want good goods at low prices? We have them.

MAPES BROTHERS.

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Will be this week, Friday and Saturday. We will make special efforts on these two days to show you our immense stock of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets. We invite all the ladies of Middletown and vicinity to attend. Remember, we do not expect you to buy.

We guarantee our styles, prices and qualities to be correct. Watch this space for notice on Thursday.

MRS. A. T. SOUIER, 5 West Main street, Middletown

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